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## SARRAUT QUILTS CABINET

### FRENCH POLITICAL SHAKE-UP

#### ASSASSINATION SEQUEL

#### KING PETER ON WAY HOME

Paris, Oct. 11. M. Albert Sarraut, French Minister of the Interior, has resigned, under pressure of criticism which has reached a climax following the assassination of King Alexander and M. Barthou, the French Foreign Minister, in Marseilles.

At the same time, the chief of the Surete Nationale, the Prefect Bouches Durhone, is under suspension.

When King Peter, the young ruler of Yugo-Slavia, and his mother, Queen Marie, left Paris at 9.15 for Belgrade, the most extravagant precautions were taken by the authorities.

#### FRIENDLY GESTURE

M. Lohr and other members of the Cabinet were at the station to express the nation's parting wish for continued friendship and good-will.

A large crowd, solemn and silent, gathered at the station, but was rigidly excluded from the neighbourhood of the royal train. Strong police guards were stationed everywhere.

A detachment of motor-cycle policemen surrounded the car which brought the King and Queen from their hotel to the train, and additional escorts waited to march with them through the station.

#### RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

(Special to "Telegraph")

Paris, Oct. 11. The resignation of M. Sarraut from his post as Minister of the Interior has been accepted.

His resignation was prompted by the popular indignation against the Ministry for alleged failure to sufficiently protect King Alexander and M. Barthou in Marseilles.

#### ATTENDING FUNERAL.

London, Oct. 11. The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, will represent His Majesty's Government at the funeral of Monsieur Louis Barthou, on Saturday, October 13.

### DEPORTATION RESENTED

### TOKYO TO MAKE EXPLANATION

### CHINA QUOTES JAPAN'S LAW

Nanking, Oct. 11. Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, arrived here from Shanghai and immediately called Mr. Wang Ching-wei, President of the Executive Yuan and concurrently Foreign Minister.

It is learned in authoritative quarters that Mr. Ariyoshi's visit is for the purpose of giving a full explanation of Japan's position in regard to the recent deportation of Chinese labourers from Japan.

In connection with this affair, a rejoinder to the Japanese reply was delivered to the Japanese Legation by the Waichiaoju two days ago.

In strengthening its argument against the deportation of Chinese labourers, the Foreign Office quoted representatives of the Scandinavian rights and interests of foreign residents in Japan.

### YUGO-SLAVIAN CRISIS AHEAD

#### Cabinet Offers Resignation

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Belgrade, Oct. 11.

While King Peter and his mother, Queen Marie of Yugo-Slavia, and his grand-mother, Queen Marie of Rumania, are speeding towards Belgrade from Paris, the country is preparing for a political crisis.

The Cabinet resigned to-day, though this was merely ceremony, and was immediately requested by the Regent, Prince Paul, to continue in office. The real crisis will come when the Cabinet resigns after the funeral and a new Government must be formed.

United Press.

### DUKE OF KENT OPENS MOTOR SHOW

#### YEAR'S PROGRESS OUTLINED

#### OVERSEAS VISITORS

London, Oct. 11.

When the Duke of Kent, Prince George, opened the International Motor Show at Olympia to-day, he mentioned the fact that the British Motor Industry, within the last twelve months, had been able to expand its trade both at home and abroad to such an extent that it had been possible to take off the unemployment register and replace on the pay roll some 100,000 men.

"As a motorist myself," said the Duke, "I can appreciate that the quality of your products has been even further improved during the last year, and I am glad to see that the use of various devices to increase safety on the road has been a keynote of designers and production engineers."

There was an exceptionally large attendance at the opening and the presence of more visitors from Overseas was particularly noticeable.

#### INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR.

This is the 28th show of the series and it is definitely international in character. Although there are few, if any, decreases in the price of models, they contain many improvements. Bodies are roomier, more solidly constructed and show improved finish; and an increased number have independently sprung wheels, semi-automatic gear boxes and draught-proof ventilation.

The streamline tendency is general. The show remains open for the next ten days.

#### GOODWILL TOUR

London, Oct. 11.

The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, left London this afternoon for Scandinavia.

No officials accompany him and the visit is entirely one of good-will arising from friendly personal relationships established with representatives of the Scandinavian rights and interests of foreign residents in Japan.



M. Albert Sarraut, who has resigned his post of Minister of Interior in the French Cabinet as the result of reactions from the Marseilles outrage.

### SHIPPING PACT

#### RATIONALISING INDUSTRY

#### SCANDINAVIAN PREPARATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Oslø, October 11.

Important progress towards the rationalisation of international shipping has been officially recorded at a conference of representatives of Governments and shippers of Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

The Scandinavian shipping interests are strongly opposed to Government subsidy of steamship lines, and in this are largely supported by British opinion.

The conversations just concluded were arranged in order to formulate a policy for the three countries concerned which they can take with them to the International Shipping Conference in London later in the year.

The details of the agreement reached, however, are not to be divulged at present.

### SHIP AFIRE NEAR SUEZ

#### Canal Tugs To The Rescue

#### EXPLOSIVES ABOARD

Port Said, Oct. 11.

The Dutch steamer *Zuiderkerk*, bound from Hamburg to Yokohama, is afire.

Fire broke out in her cargo when she was passing Suez. Canal tugs immediately rushed to her assistance and between them, aided by the ship's pumps, they were making satisfactory progress against the fire.

The vessel carries a large quantity of explosives, but the magazine where this cargo is stored has been flooded.

The *Zuiderkerk* is a vessel of 8,427 tons registered, built in 1922 in Holland for the Vereenigde Nederlandsche Scheepvaart.

### AIR SERVICES DELAYED

#### SHANGHAI-CANTON LINK RENEWAL

Shanghai, Oct. 12.

An official of the Chinese National Aviation Corporation declared that the resumption of the Shanghai-Canton air mail service would be postponed until early next month because certain service facilities have not been completed.

### WOMAN DRIVER SETS RECORD

#### High Speed At Brooklands

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Brooklands, Oct. 11.

Mrs. Kathleen Petre, the noted racing driver, driving a super-charged Bugatti, broke the women's record for one lap of two and three-quarter miles to-day when she averaged 124.14 miles per hour.

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### Richards Sets New Record

#### TEN WINS FROM FOURTEEN RIDES

#### SEVEN FIRSTS IN A ROW

(Special to "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Messages Ordinance, 1895. Received, October 12, 1.55 a.m.)

London, Oct. 11.

At the Chesham races, Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, is having another amazing run of fortune. He has just broken another record.

He rode seven winners, three seconds in eleven mounts, all his winners being consecutive.

He also won the last three races consecutively at Nottingham races, giving him a record of ten wins out of fourteen starts.

Richards has already ridden 173 winners this season.

Last year, it will be recalled, Richards broke the long-standing record of Jockey Archer, who rode 246 winners in one season.

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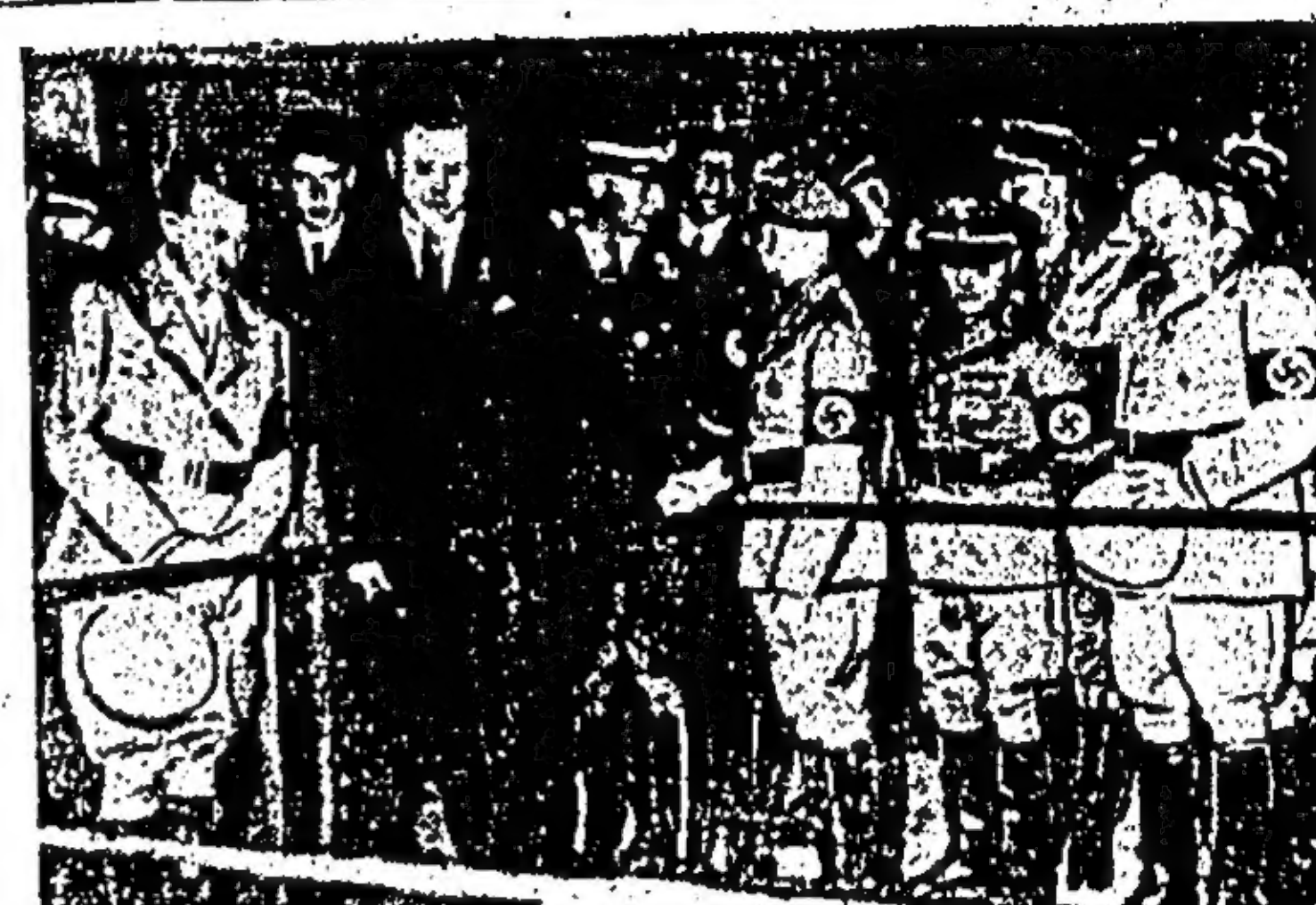
### CHINA SENDS CONDOLENCES

#### MESSAGE FOR BOY KING

Nanking, Oct. 12. Mr. Wang Ching-wei, as Chinese Foreign Minister, has instructed the Chinese Legation at Paris to convey to the French Government the sympathy of the Chinese Government over the death of M. Barthou.

At the same time, the Chinese Legation has been also instructed to send a telegram of condolence on behalf of the Chinese Government to the Boy King of Yugo-Slavia through the Yugo-Slavian Legation at Paris. China has not yet established a diplomatic representative in Yugo-Slavia.

## H.K. DOLLAR ADVANCES WITH SILVER



After opening the campaign to win the plebiscite that will decide whether or not the Saar basin wants to return to German government, Adolf inaugurated the "German Saar Exhibit" at Cologne. He is shown here, at left, viewing a huge relief map of the Saar over which he would become dictator if next election favours Germany.

### SUDDEN RISE IN LONDON

#### SPECULATIVE PURCHASES

#### NO SIGN OF U.S. BUYING

Yesterday's sensational rise in silver on the London Market is partially reflected in the Hongkong dollar quotation this morning, which rose a halfpenny to 1s. 8d. This is the highest rate quoted for the past five years.

Silver rose in London to 24 1/2 for the spot quotation, an advance of no less than 1.1/8d., whilst the forward quotation rose 1.3/16d. to 24.5/8d. The advance was due to large speculative buying, and short supplies. China sold at the advance, and the market closed uncertain.

There were no signs of American buying on the London market yesterday, and it is presumed that speculators bought in order to forestall official American purchases, as there was no news to cause the rush of buying. China and India speculators were especially prominent.

Some quarters in London regard the market as dangerous.

#### HONGKONG MARKET.

The extent of the silver rise surprised banking and exchange circles this morning. Inter-bank business was done at about 1s. 8 1/2d.

The market was on the uncertain side, but there appeared to be no signs of marked weakness.

Shanghai is slightly easier this morning, due largely to profit-taking.

#### INDIA BUYING.

Later in the morning, inter-bank business was done in the Hongkong market at 1s. 8 1/2d., and gold dollars at 42. Selling rates were 1s. 8 1/2d. and 41 1/2d.

The silver advance is now definitely attributed to the activity of India speculators. Bombay silver rose two rupees per hundred dollars yesterday.

Whilst there were indications this morning of speculators covering, the local market wore quite a steady appearance during the course of the morning, and the opinion was expressed in bullion broking circles that higher rates might be witnessed.

#### EFFECT IN NEW YORK.

Yesterday's silver prices constituted a new high record both in London and New York for the past five years. This was a factor in causing a decided upward trend on the New York stock market. There was a rush yesterday on the New York market to buy silver issues.

The Wall Street Journal, in referring to hints of further devaluation of the dollar, says there are rumours that the next session of Congress will see the elimination of the present 50 per cent. devaluation limit power vested in the President.

The statement that the Roosevelt Administration aims at higher commodity prices has also encouraged a belief in some quarters that silver will go even higher.

#### IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day: Tug Talook; Feng Lee; Turbo; Ramsay; Changto; Paul Doumer; Kumsang; Glenapp; Helyol Maru; Alaska Maru; Glaucus; Nancy Moller; Empress of China; Bangalore; Katori Maru; Sarpedon; Behar; Conte Verde; Hydrangea; Canada Maru; Chung On; Michael Jabsen.

### PEAK TRAMWAY DEVELOPMENT

#### NO DECISION YET ON EXTENSION

#### PLAN FOR FLATS AWAIT APPROVAL

Enquiries made by the Telegraph this morning disclose the fact that the Peak Tramways Co., Ltd., has so far taken no action regarding the recent suggestion for extending the lower terminus down to Queen's Road.

The matter, said Mr. D. E. Clark, of Messrs. J. D. Humphreys and Co., general managers of the Company, had not yet been considered by the Board of Directors.

Mr. Clark pointed out that the petitions on behalf of the suggested extension, which were signed by many residents, were not prepared by the Company, and he had no knowledge as to what had become of them.

With regard to the proposed block of flats near the site of the present terminus, Mr. Clark stated that nothing could be stated at the moment, as the plans had not been finally approved.

### Endeavour To Race For Cup Again

#### SOPWITH HOPES FOR "NEXT TIME"

London, Oct. 11.

Mr. T. O. M. Sopwith will probably race again for the America's Cup.

Mr. Sopwith, owner of the yacht Endeavour, speaking at the London Press Club to-day, expressed warm appreciation of the splendid reception given him by the United States public.

"We at least came away from America with a deep debt of gratitude to the thousands of people who wished us well," he said.

He expressed the hope that the technical difficulties over race rules would be solved and said he thought, on balance, the Endeavour was the better boat and he looked forward to doing better with her next time.

British Wireless.

#### PREMIERS-MEET

London, Oct. 11.

The Canadian Premier, Mr. R. B. Bennett, who will leave for Ottawa to-morrow after his short visit to England, lunched with the Prime Minister at Downing Street to-day. The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, was among the guests.

British Wireless.

### Prince Opens Air College

#### ADDRESSES CADETS AT CRANWELL

London, Oct. 11.

The Prince of Wales, wearing the uniform of an Air Marshal, flew from London to Cranwell, Lincolnshire, to-day, to open the Royal Air Force College, founded on the lines of Sandhurst and Woolwich.

The first Commandant of the College is Air Vice-Marshal Longcroft, who was a pilot when the Prince had his first flight 16 years ago.

In an address to the cadets the Prince said:

"You have joined a great service and though the Royal Air Force is the junior service it, along with the Navy and Army, makes for that confidence which, not only throughout the Empire but throughout the world is of vital importance and will continue to be of vital importance until the make-up of the world changes very radically."

The Prince made a tour of inspection during the afternoon, afterwards flying back to London.

British Wireless.

### Anti-German Boycott

#### BLOW STRUCK FOR TRADE UNIONS

#### AMERICAN MEASURES

San Francisco, Oct. 11.

The American Federation of Labour, completing its conference here, voted to-day for a continuance of the boycott against German manufactures.

After discussing reports of conditions in Germany, it was asserted that German trade unionists were still oppressed by the administration, and Jews were still persecuted.

The decision of the Federation followed a plan on the part of Mr. William Green, President of the Federation, that the anti-German boycott campaign should be continued until "the tyrannical governments of Germany and Italy were wiped out."

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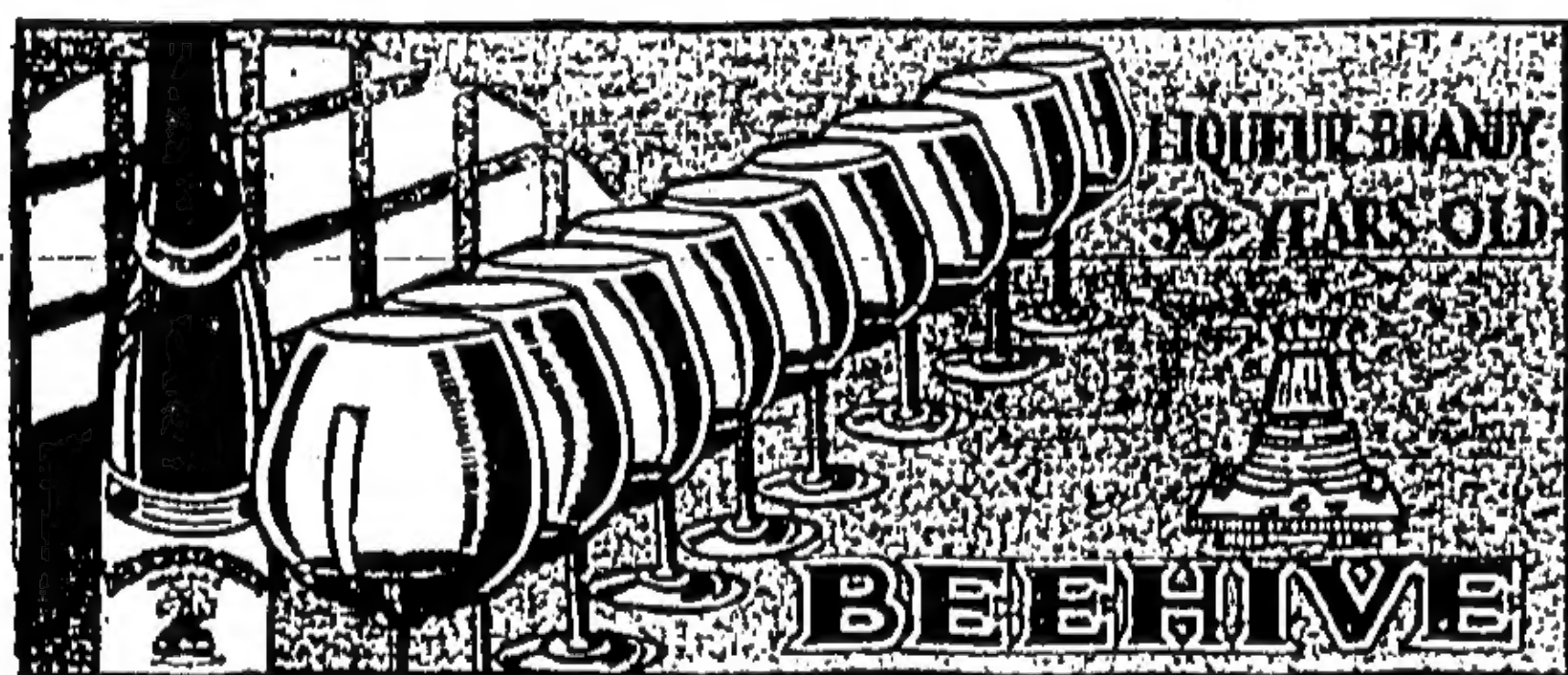
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## NAZIS' LABOUR BATTLE

### NEW ECONOMIC DICTATOR

#### HERR SCHACHT'S WIDE POWERS

Berlin, Oct. 5.  
Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Nazi Germany's new economic dictator, is about to mobilize all economic resources of the country to meet a more and more menacing situation.

The power concentrated in his hands is tremendous. As President of the Reichsbank, he may authorize or forbid any payment by Germans in foreign currency, whether destined to finance new purchases or to meet matured bills. Moreover, as Minister of Economics, he can grant or refuse import permits; he can fix the quantities of any commodity imported to Germany; he can veto the erection of new plants or the closing-down of old ones.

He holds formidable means of coercion over individual employers. He may fine them for infraction of his raw-material decrees; he may also remove them if they fail to fall into line.

German industry now is organized in a rigid, pyramid like hierarchy. The lowest stratum is formed by the workers. They are pledged to allegiance to their "leaders", namely, the employers. These latter, on the other hand, owe allegiance to the "leaders" of their particular branch of industry. Related branches are united under section leaders, who, in their turn, obey the "leader of the German industry". All these leaders and leaders of leaders, of course, bow to one man—the minister of economics, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht. Thus, German industry is organized like one vast army. Every one's position in this army is clearly defined.

#### NO PLAN.

However, many observers wonder where the army is going. A comprehensive plan, such as the five-year plan of the Soviets, does not exist in Germany.

Early after the Nazis' assumption of power there was much talk about social reform. Many Nazi experts then foresaw the establishment of a completely new social system, "corporate society", replacing capitalism.

Nazi reformers soon started to build up the corporate state. The reform, however, was carried through only in certain sections of society. Thus, farmers, landowners, and all others engaged in food production, have been organized in a vast national "corporation", the so-called "Nährstand".

In the field of industry, reform work was much less thorough. Labour unions were abolished, and labourers had to join a new national union, the Labour Front. But the Labour Front has nothing to do with the economic interests of the workers. Its activities are confined to organizing holiday cruises, theatrical performances, and recreation for workers.

As to labour conditions, working hours and wages, the Nazis simply retained the collective agreements established under the republican regime. While the whole political edifice of the Weimar republic had crumbled, its social legislation survived. In this field, the Nazis merely continue the work of the Weimar republic.

#### ONLY ONE CHANGE.

The only change they brought about in this connection lies in their different treatment of the unemployment problem. The Republic adopted a rather passive attitude towards unemployment. It paid doles to the unemployed,

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## NUDE BATHING RESTRICTED

### SPANISH OFFICIAL NOT PRUDISH

Alicante, Spain, Oct. 4.  
Men are more modest than women as far as bathing suits are concerned, the Governor of Alicante Province said to-day when he issued an order prohibiting nude bathing on public beaches.

The order also prohibited bathing in "light apparel which covers only the indispensable parts of the body."

The governor pointed out that he was forced to issue the order even though it affects the male bathers "who are more careful of their modesty." But to prove that he was not prudish, he announced that certain areas distant from the public beaches will be set aside for nude bathing.—United Press.

and left them alone. The Nazis, however, mobilized the unemployed. They gave them "jobs" at nominal wages (25 marks monthly), or sent them from the cities to farms. Farmers were forced to engage new hands; they were not expected to pay them wages beyond food and lodging, since the state continued to keep the new "farm hands" on the dole. However, all those who were given work under such circumstances disappeared from the unemployment statistics. They are regarded to all intents and purposes as "employed."

Many jobless are enjoying their new condition. At any rate, they do not have the oppressive feeling of being "loafers". Others, of course, are deeply and violently disgruntled at being obliged to work for almost nothing. But the general public, which does not know the exact conditions under which the newly employed are living, is hypnotized by the falling figures of unemployment statistics. It applauds Hitler's victorious "labour battle", which is one of the main factors of his prestige.—United Press.

## FRENCH IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

### CLOSER LINK WITH COLONIES

#### M. LAVAL'S GREAT PROJECT

Paris, Oct. 9.  
In an effort to improve the economic conditions of France and her possessions in the midst of the present world crisis, Minister of Colonies, M. Pierre Laval has convoked a colonial conference in Paris during November which promises to rival in world importance the Ottawa Conference of the British Empire nations.

Unlike the Ottawa sessions, however, the meeting in Paris will be strictly limited to industrial, commercial, economic, budgetary and customs questions which will be considered from the viewpoint of reciprocity within the confines of France's 4,680,000 square miles of colonial empire.

Determined that the work of the forthcoming conference shall not be held up by purely local or relatively unimportant issues, M. Laval has drafted a definite agenda to which the discussions must strictly adhere. Copies of this programme have already been sent to all Governors and Governor-Generals with instructions to compile statistics and data in accordance with this general outline.

The Minister of Colonies has been aided in this work by a special committee of colonial and economic experts headed by M. C. J. Gignoux, former Under-Secretary of State for National Economy. This committee has been meeting four and five times a week during the past five months and has just now completed the bulk of the preparations.

#### AFRICAN PROBLEM.

Although it is understood that most of the agenda deals with the problems of Algeria, Tunis, Morocco and Syria, the smaller possessions and protectorates will not be neglected. Even the mother-of-pearl and coconut industries of the French islands in the South Seas, the cultivation of rice in Indo-China and the raising of peanuts and production of vegetable oil in Senegal will come up for consideration.

Altogether it is estimated that the interests of some 100,000,000 people will be represented at the November conference.

It is the theory of M. Laval and his experts that if the colonies agree to eliminate competition among themselves and to follow a vast inter-colonial plan, envisaging a rotation of crops to meet the empire's requirements, then colonial commerce might be doubled. To accomplish this, a fixed quota of production for a definite period of years may be decided upon.

For the first time in history the colonies had a favourable trade balance over France last year. They shipped to the mother-country more than France sold to them. One-third of France's foreign trade last year was with her colonies and, until world depression set in, the colonies were proving better customers each year.

In order to increase this commerce within the empire, tariffs will play an important part in the discussions which should therefore be of special interests to foreign nations in their trade with France and her twenty colonies.—United Press.

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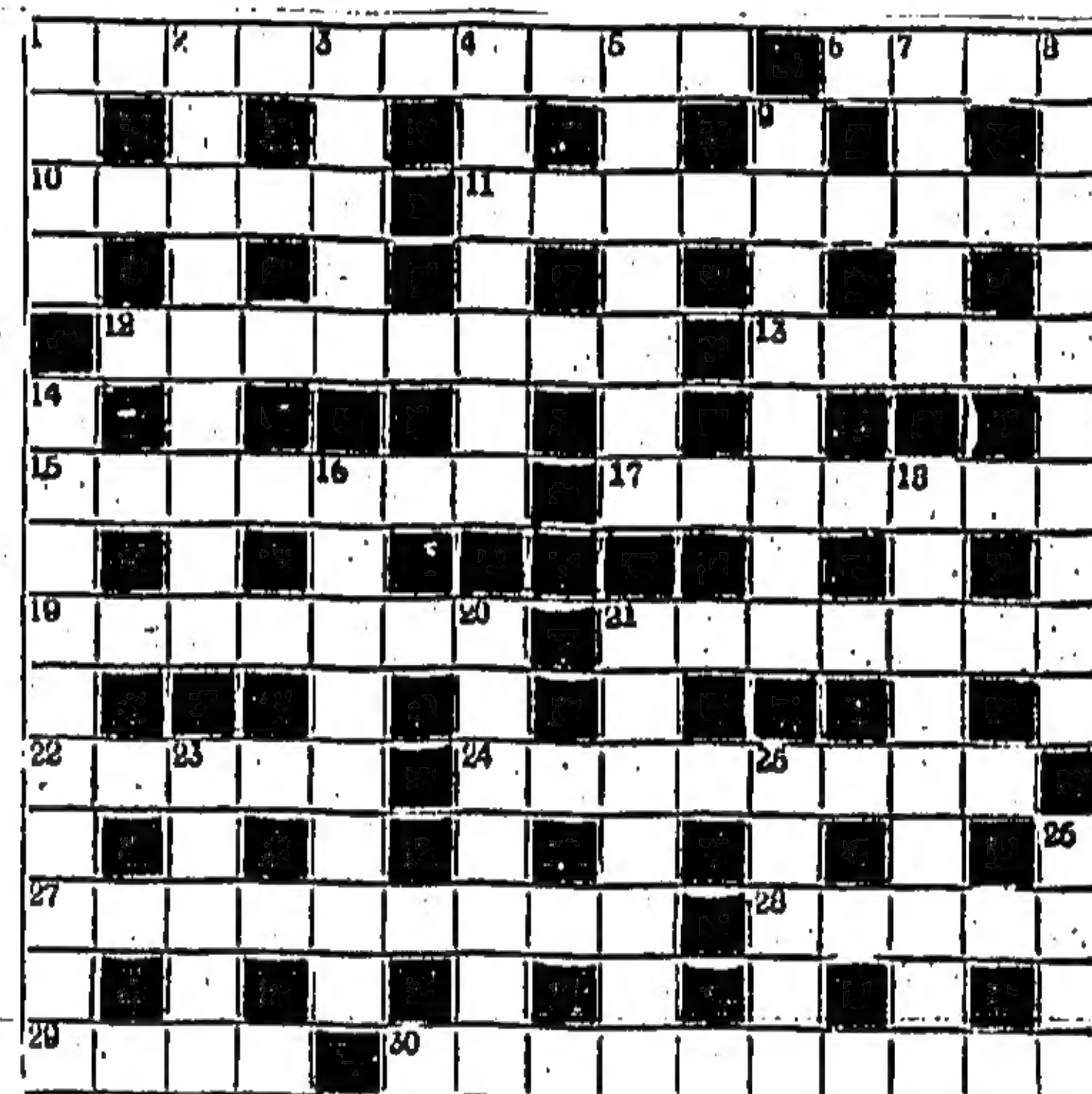
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- Permit.
- "Sea-tune" of it (anag.).
- Not being one the lost Clementine.
- We hear that the girl was in debt. In the coils. Alas! alas!
- Town.
- Smoothing and cleaning agent.
- How the face of Helen affected Greek ships.
- In places where they bet I allow that women's frocks are to be found.
- Free but if strife follows—well, look out for a plant.
- It's in place here.
- The grant I sent was for the provision of something harsh.

#### Down

- Sailors dress the yards, but this, surely is the part of the ship to dross!
- Evergreen shrubs.
- Ran fast, started by a club.
- Produces property.
- Do steer from these boring little pests; they are bad for the ship.
- Fish.
- The merit of this English novel is ingrained.
- Tree shape.
- I use bottle (anag.).
- They serve in church.
- The dwelling of one Mickey.
- Expand.
- Sometimes called a pug.
- Exit not usable as they are.
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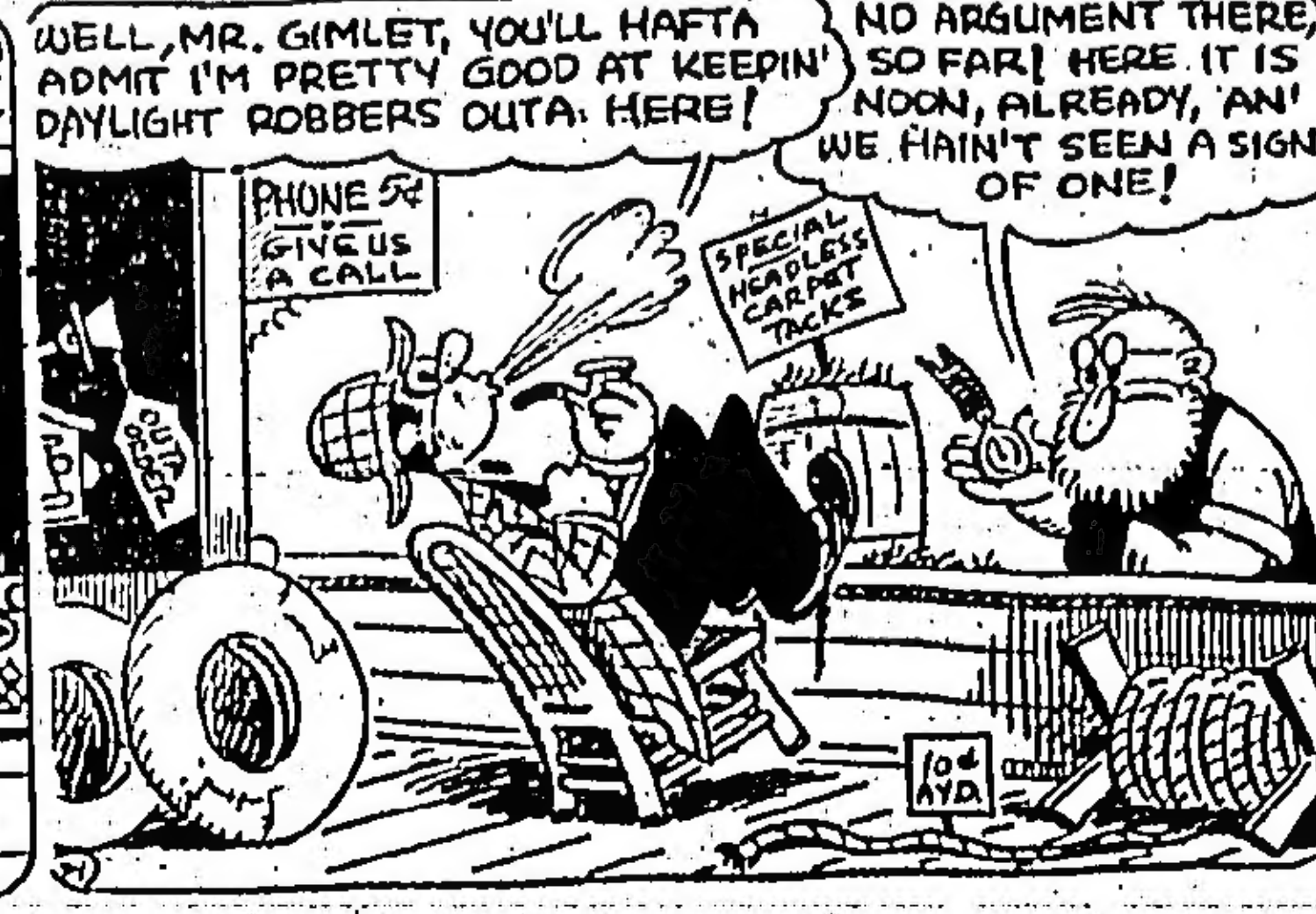
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## STRANGE MAIL FOR BISHOP

### CATERPILLAR DIES IN TRANSIT

### POST OFFICE CRITICISED

The attention of the Post Office recently was drawn to the letter in *The Times* from the Bishop of St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich, relating to a caterpillar sent through the post.

The Post Office was not without literature on matters of entomology; there was the Post Office Guide for the purpose of reference. The idea that caterpillars or any other insects could not be transmitted successfully through the post was dismissed. Even men and boys, it was pointed out, can be carried at ordinary letter rates, and the department is prepared to carry the Loch Ness monster, if he is found, weighed and stamped—1½d. for the first two ounces and ½d. for every additional two ounces. But the fact was officially emphasized more than once that "regulations are regulations," and that the rules governing Post Office procedure are so comprehensive that they embrace even caterpillars, bees, and leeches.

### BEES AND LEECHES.

The Bishop told in his letter how a correspondent sent him a caterpillar believed to be the larva of a rare species, and how he received through the post a flattened cardboard box and a letter from the Postal Service stating that the packet was observed during transit to be in a damaged condition. It was therefore forwarded to the Returned Letter Section and found to contain a small dead insect and a few dried leaves. "I have to point out," the letter continued, "that the transmission of any living creature (except bees and leeches)

## Italy's Great Experiment

### ONE-MAN CONTROL OF NATIONAL ACTIVITY

### CORPORATIVE STATE

Rome, Oct. 4.

Premier Mussolini's pet dream, the corporative state, picturesquely defined by several observers as "an experiment in the one-man control of national activity," is expected to be in working order by October 28—the anniversary of the institution of the Fascist regime.

The Guild's Ministry, from which the complex plan will be run, is to cost about 79,000,000 lire a year, it is believed, and the various staffs concerned will number at least 6,000.

The twenty-two corporations which form the backbone of this State are officially defined as "bridges slung across the vertical lines of workers' syndicates and employers' federations" that already exist all over the country. Their task will be to work out the principle underlying the Corporative State, namely—State organization and control of economic forces.

These corporations will be composed of delegates from employers and employed as well as from intermediary "bread winners." All the delegates must be members of the Fascist party and of "unblemished political character," whose names the Duce himself has approved.

The twenty-two Corporations cover every conceivable form of work, production and output, including: Landowners and tenant farmers; Employers and employed



The importance of the arrests made by the Shanghai Settlement police when a group of ten alleged members of an assassination group were taken from the District Court to Police Headquarters under escort, is shown by the heavy armed guard which was attached to the prison van. Upper photo shows a section of the police escort in the Municipal compound after the prisoners had been locked in the van. Lower photo shows the 27 pistols and ammunition seized during the raids which led to the arrest of the ten prisoners. At upper left is the Mills bomb seized with the pistols and lower left photo shows another highly dangerous gas bomb, also found in the Rue Ratard raid.

### WHAT FLAG TO FLY?

### PRINCESS MARINA PRESENTS POSER

London, Oct. 7.  
British officialdom is in a quandary as to what flag to fly when

Greek republic.

Neither would the Russian eagle, or even the Hammer and Sickle of the Soviets do, although they might be taken to represent Marina's Russian ancestry.

She has connections with the Danish royal house, and this is the flag that may be flown. It might, however, be decided to anticipate her nationality and fly the Union Jack.

Meanwhile, social London is busy preparing for the wedding. Hotel proprietors, caterers, dress-makers, tailors, florists and jewellers all anticipate big business in October and November, the month in which the marriage is scheduled. Some hotels have already received enquiries for accommodation during the wedding week.—*United Press.*

### MORE DRUNKEN DRIVERS

### PROHIBITIONIST BROADSIDE

Washington, Sept. 28.  
One of the first major broadsides of the Prohibitionists since the repeal of the Dry Laws charged that arrests for drunkenness during the first three months of this year increased 31.68 per cent. over the corresponding period of 1933.

The report bristled with statistics and comparative analyses of figures compiled from the police blotters of 192 cities. It was issued by Mr. Deets Plekett, secretary of the Research and Education Department, Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

He said that arrests for driving while drunk increased 14.96 per cent., but "strangely," arrests for

### EMERGENCY TRAINING

### PREPAREDNESS IN GERMANY

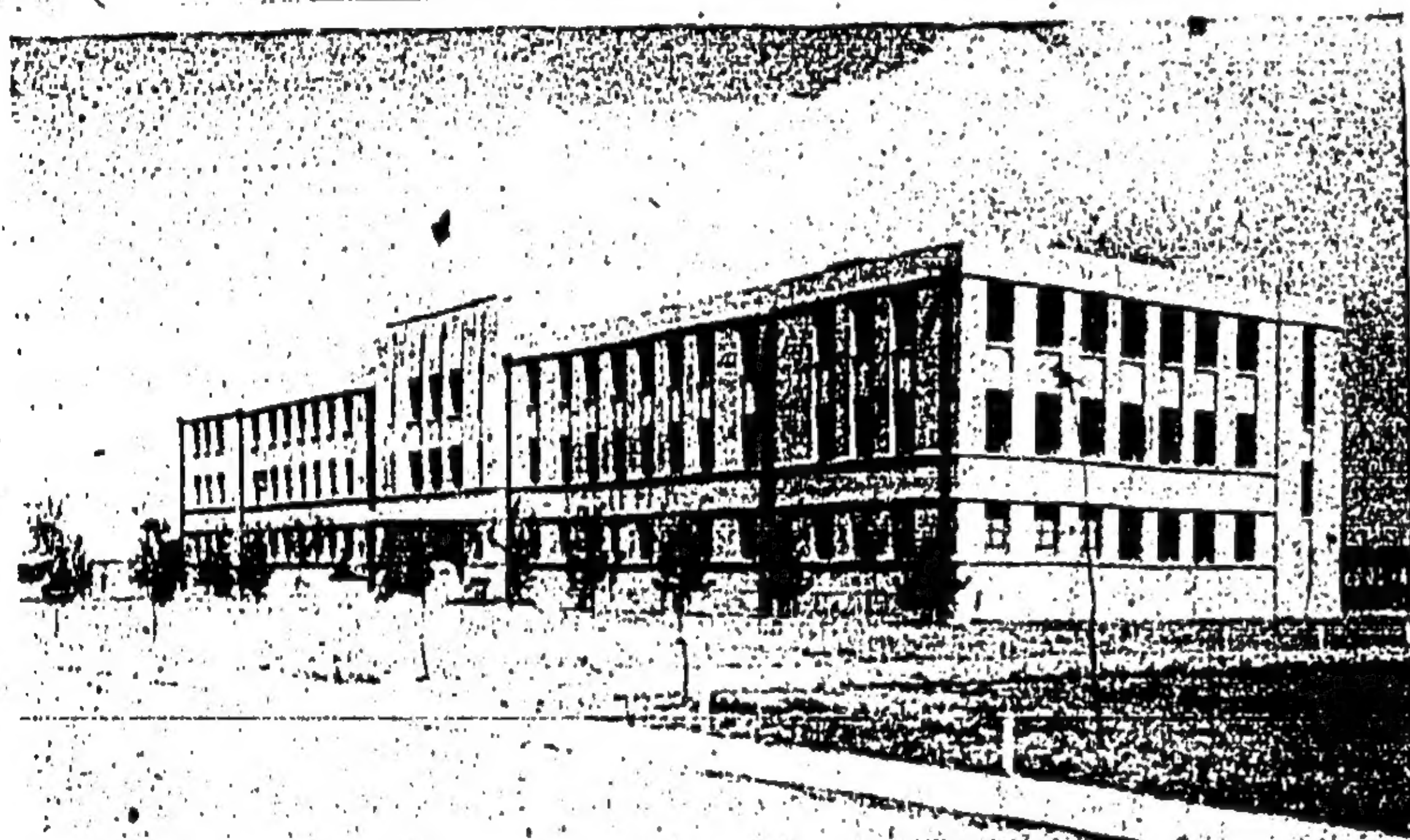
The Magdeburg-Anhalt district recently inaugurated the first training school for protection against natural catastrophes. In addition, the officials of the local labour organisation have been entrusted with the task of instructing the leaders and sub-leaders of the Labour Service in matters pertaining to such protection.

In order to render the work done as efficient as possible, the former hunting lodge of Spitzberg near Dessau has been converted into a training school. The first course of instruction was attended by 25 leaders from 11 different districts. The subjects taught include: the fighting of forest fires and floods, and first aid in such catastrophes as landslides, explosions, conflagrations, railway accidents, the bursting of dams and dykes, damage resulting from hurricanes and cloud-bursts, etc.

Particular value is attached to a rapid intelligence service, a capacity for quick orientation, sketch-drawing, and ability to operate optical instruments. The training at the school itself is supplemented by visits to other parts, whilst a practical demonstration of the work taught will be held at the conclusion of each course of training.

disorderly conduct decreased 4.21 per cent.

"There is an alarming increase in arrests for drunkenness in industrial communities; for instance, Coatesville, Pa., shows an increase of 700 per cent. for the beer period and 1,100 per cent. for the repeal period," he continued.



Where the Congress of the Far Eastern Association of Tropical Medicine, met in Nanking, the new National Health Administration Building. The Congress ended on October 5.

by post except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General is prohibited." The departmental officials appeared to enjoy the humorous vein in which the Bishop replied to what was described as a "routine letter." But the Bishop's criticism of the postal regulations caused some resentment.

An official said: "We are anxious that the Post Office should be used in every way possible to give a definite service to the public. Bees and leeches are allowed to be sent by letter or parcel post because they are of commercial value. Leeches are used very largely by the medical profession, and it has been a common practice to transfer bees from one part of the country to another for the purpose of increasing or improving the stock on a bee farm. The Post Office also permits to be sent through the letter post articles for medical examination or analysis." The official quoted from the regulations, which state that deleterious liquids or substances, though otherwise prohibited from transmission by post, may be sent for medical examination or analysis to a recognized medical laboratory or institute, or to a medical practitioner or veterinary surgeon, by letter post—"on no account by parcel post"—but the liquid or substance must be enclosed in a receptacle hermetically sealed or otherwise securely closed. Live bees and leeches are allowed to pass by letter or parcel post on condition that they are sent in suitable cases and so packed as to avoid all risk of injury to officers of the Post Office or to other packets.

### INSECTS, BY PERMISSION.

"The caterpillar to which the Bishop refers," the official added, "was apparently sent in a thin cardboard box, which would obviously suffer damage under the load of ordinary packets placed in the same mail-bag. There have been cases where serious damage has been caused by packets which have not complied with the regulations. Permission may be obtained to send bees and other things. There

connected with all forms of industry: Trade, agricultural produce, mining, banking and insurance, sea, air and land transport, liberal professions, hawkers of newspapers, ice-cream, old clothes, rags and bottles, street musicians, door-keepers, commercial travellers, and so on.

Each man and woman who earns a living or draws income from property will be marshalled under, and pay dues to, a State-controlled organisation.

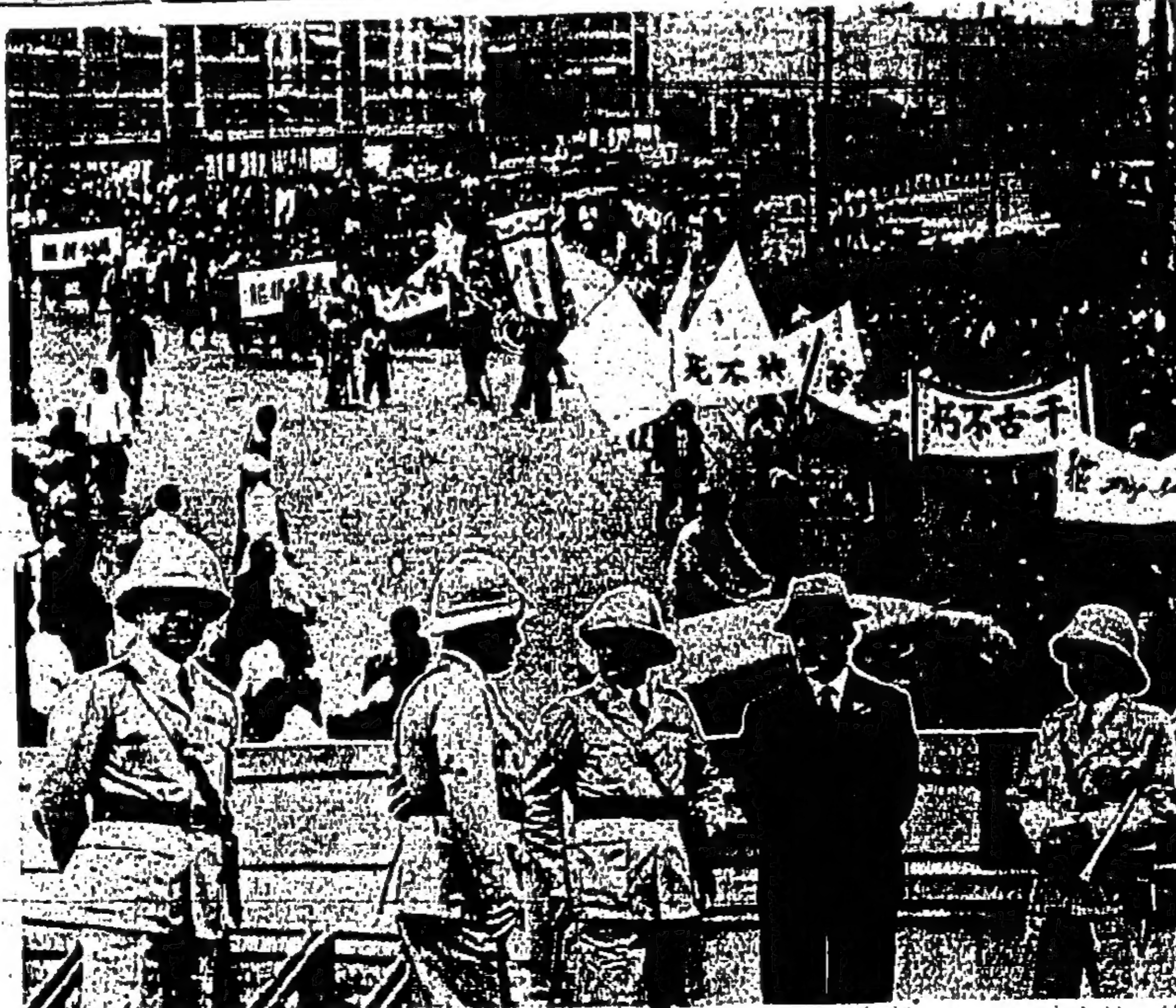
This colossal task of putting every worker in the proper category is so complicated that the make-up of the various organisations has been changed over and over again and the end, even now, is not yet in sight.

are arrangements in regard to live animals, which can be sent by express delivery if they are confined in a suitable receptacle. It has been a common thing for boys to be sent through the post. They go letter rate, the charge being according to the weight of the boy. Recently a man posted himself in that way, and he was taken to the address by a telegraph messenger. If a man desired to be sent to a distant part of the country, he would be taken to the railway station, handed over by the postman to the charge of the guard, and at the man's destination, he would be placed in the care of a postman, who would deliver him at the desired address.

"In the case of the caterpillar referred to in *The Times*, if it had been placed in a properly packed container, probably the Bishop would have received it. The Post Office is anxious to do everything it can to serve the public, and where it is desired to send any particular insect, or any number of live insects, other than bees and leeches, application should be made to the Post Office."

Princess Marina of Greece comes to stay in England.

The Princess is shortly paying an official visit to the King and Queen, the parents of her husband-to-be, Prince George. But Princess Marina has no country; and therefore no flag. It would not be tactful to fly the old Imperial blue and white Greek flag, because Britain has friendly relations with the



All ranks of the Shanghai Settlement Police joined in paying their last respects to Van Nyokkue, veteran Chinese detective of Lunan Station, who was shot down in the Lester Chinese Hospital in one of the most audacious crimes ever perpetrated in Shanghai. Above is shown a portion of the long funeral procession carrying banners which told of how a brave man died. Below—a group of high official await the passing of the cortege. From left to right are shown Deputy Commissioner R. C. Alers, Captain R. M. J. Martin, Extra Commissioner, Major F. W. Gerrard, Commissioner, Brig.-Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, Vice-Chairman of the Council, and Assistant Commissioner T. M. Yao.

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Hongkong and Kowloon Wharf and  
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pany's Godowns at Kowloon, whence  
delivery may be obtained.

Goods not cleared by the 10th  
October, 1934, will be subject to rent.  
The Godowns for examination by the  
Consignee and the Co.'s representa-  
tives on any Tuesdays and Fridays,  
at 2.30 p.m., within the free storage  
period. For the examination of  
damaged dutiable goods, the con-  
signees must arrange for a Revenue  
Officer to be present.

All claims must be presented within  
ten days of the steamer's arrival  
here, after which date they cannot  
be recognized.

No claims will be admitted after  
the goods have left the Godowns.  
No fire insurance has been effected.

NIPPON YUSEN KAISHA,  
Hongkong, 12th October, 1934.

## RADIO BROADCAST.

(Continued from Page 7.)

11.30 p.m. A brass band concert. (Time  
Signal from Greenwich at 8.45  
p.m.)  
12.15 a.m. Surprise item.  
12.30 a.m. The Hotel Metropole Orchestra,  
(under A. Reed), directed by  
Enrico Camasse, relayed from the  
Hotel Metropole, London.  
1 a.m. News Bulletin and Announcements.  
1.25 a.m. The B.B.C. Dance Orchestra,  
directed by Henry Hall.

### TRANSMISSION 4.

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lengths will be used simultaneously, but the  
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each day's transmissions. Announcements  
will be made at frequent intervals.  
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GSA 4.050 k.c. 49.39 metres

1 a.m. Time Signal from Big Ben. News  
Bulletin and Announcements.  
1.25 a.m. En Camasse, a revue. (Time  
Signal from Greenwich at 7.0  
p.m.)

1.35 a.m. Hovenka and his orchestra.  
1.50 a.m. An organ recital by C. H.  
Trent, from the Concert Hall,  
Broadcasting House, London.

2 a.m. Time Signal from Greenwich.  
2.15 a.m. Music and the Ordinary Listener,  
a talk by Sir Walford Davies.

4.30 a.m. Radio Cries.  
4.45 a.m. Songs from the films.  
5 a.m. News Bulletin and Announcements.  
5.15 a.m. Dance music, a programme of  
gramophone records.  
5.30-6.45 a.m. Dance music.

## TYRANNIES OF EUROPE

(Continued from Page 6.)

bombardment with artillery of  
working men, women and children  
in tenement houses—these are  
terrible and shocking events. If  
for a moment we give the impres-  
sion that we are indifferent to  
them then civilisation will tremble  
indeed.

By all means let us retain formal  
and even courteous diplomatic re-  
lations with all foreign Govern-  
ments. But let us also remember  
that the nations to which we are  
bound by ties of real friendship  
are the nations which have pre-  
served democratic forms of govern-  
ment and freedom for the in-  
dividual. The poet Robert Burns  
once wrote: "I am a Briton; and  
must ever be interested in the cause  
of Liberty. I am a man; and the  
rights of human nature cannot be  
indifferent to me." Proud words,  
and true. It is not without signifi-  
cance that Britain and the  
Scandinavian countries should be  
the most prosperous and the most  
happy in the world to-day. And  
if we hold steadfastly to our course  
we can once again save ourselves  
by our exertions, and Europe by  
our example.

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Mcnam, Swan, Culbertson and Frits  
have received the following quota-  
tions on the New York exchange for  
yesterday.

New York Cotton.	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close	Close	Close
October	12.10	12.30-12.30
December	12.21	12.43-12.44
January	12.24	12.49-12.49
March	12.34	12.57-12.58
May	12.40	12.60-12.62
July	12.41	12.64-12.65
Spot	12.40	12.65

New York Rubber	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
October	13.74	14.33-14.33
December	13.98	14.58-14.58
January	14.09	14.70-14.70
March	14.37	14.98-14.99
May	14.58	15.20-15.20
July	14.80	15.42-15.42
Total sales	781 lots	

Chicago Wheat	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
October	99 1/2	102 -102 1/2
May	99 1/2	102 1/2-102 1/2
July	94 1/2	98 1/2-98 1/2
Wednesday's sales	33,175,000	bushels.

Chicago Corn	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
October	78 1/2	78 1/2-77
May	78 1/2	79 1/2-79 1/2
July	78 1/2	79 1/2-79 1/2
Total sales	12,230,000	bushels

Winnipeg Wheat	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
October	80 1/2	81 1/2-81 1/2
December	81 1/2	82 1/2-82 1/2
May	86 1/2	87 1/2-87 1/2

New York Sugar	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
October	1.88	1.88-1.88
March	1.82	1.83-1.83
May	1.85	1.87-1.87
July	1.89	1.91-1.91
Total sales	13,000 tons.	

New York Metals.	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
December	1.14	1.15-1.16
February	1.16	1.17-1.18
April	1.16 1/2	1.17 1/2-1.18 1/2
Total sales	133 lots	

Copper March	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
	5.58	5.99
Tin March	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
	50.30	50.50

## "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

### To-morrow's Pictorial Features

A variety of interests will  
be covered in to-morrow's  
issue of the Telegraph Pictorial  
Supplement.

In view of the foundation-  
stone laying ceremony which  
is to take place next week, pic-  
tures of the progress in con-  
structing the new Hongkong  
and Shanghai Bank and of the  
demolition of the old building  
will be found of interest, as  
also will be a photo of the old  
City Hall building.

Weddings illustrated will in-  
clude those of Mr. John Harri-  
gan and Miss Eileen Piper,  
and of Mr. Ed. Chang and  
Miss Eva Young.

Some of the prize-winning  
pictures in the University  
Amateur Photographic Socie-  
ty's exhibition will be repro-  
duced, while amongst other  
photos will be one of the Rosary  
procession in Kowloon.

## 21 YEARS AGO

### Extracts From the "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from  
the Hongkong Telegraph for the  
week ended October 11, 1913.

The rate of dollar on demand  
was 2/0 1/2.

Thanks to the efforts of "Our  
Comrades' Graves Association,"  
the military cemetery at Stanley  
was cleaned up and the epitaphs on  
the gravestones re-lettered.

Mr. J. C. Finch won the Harbour  
Swim in the record time of 22 min.  
26 sec., Mr. C. J. Cobbe being  
second.

At the annual meeting of the  
Craigengower Cricket Club, the  
following officers were appointed:  
President, Mr. W. D. Bradd-  
wood; Hon. Secretary, Mr. R.  
Bass; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. G.  
Rapp; Captain, Mr. L. A. Rose;  
Vice-Captain, Mr. E. L. Bragg;  
Committee, Dr. F. H. Kew, Messrs.  
R. A. Carvalho, W. Allen, H. H.  
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remedy—in fact, the blood is the  
stream of life. In the treatment of  
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lars are shown in the schedules exhibited at the General Post Office  
and Kowloon Office. All letters etc., must be marked "By Air Mail"  
and handed in at the General Post Office and Kowloon Office. Unless  
subscribed for despatch by a special air mail service, correspon-  
dence will be forwarded by the first service available.

#### MONEY ORDER OFFICE.

It is hereby notified that as from October 1, Money Orders expressed  
in Shanghai dollars will be obtainable at the Money Order Counter.  
The service is restricted to orders issued on the Shanghai Office of Exchange  
and the Chinese Offices served by Shanghai.

#### VIA SIBERIA ROUTE.

Letters and postcards for Europe and South America are for-  
warded "via Siberia" if so superscribed.

#### INWARD MAILS.

From	Per	Date and Time.
Shanghai	Bangalore	October 12.
Australia and Manila	Changlo	October 12.
Canada, U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and		
Shanghai (Vancouver B.C., 22nd		
Sept.)—and Europe via Siberia		
(London 20th September)	Emp. of Canada	October 12.
Europe via Negapatam (Letters and		
Papers) London, 13th September—		
and Air Mail ex Amsterdam Ban-		
doeng Service	Katori Maru	October 12.
Manila	Pres. Grant	October 12.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang-		
hai (San Francisco, 14th Sept.)	Pres. Johnson	October 12.
London parcels only—London, 6th		
September—and Air Mail ex		
Imperial Airways Service	Sarpedon	October 12.
Shanghai and Swatow	Kidderpore	October 12.
Japan	Soochow	October 13.
Straits	Bengal Maru	October 14.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shang-		
hai (San Francisco, 21st Sept.)	Dakar Maru	October 15.
Calcutta and Straits	Pres. Wilson	October 15.
Calcutta and Straits	Talma	October 16.
Europe via Suez (Letters and	Kutsang	October 17.
Papers) London, 20th September—		
and Air Mail ex		
Imperial Airways Service		
Australia and Manila	Chitral	October 18.
Shanghai	Kitano Maru	October 18.
	Tantalus	October 19.

#### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per	Date and Time.
Fort Bayard	Tin Seng	Fri., Oct. 12, 1 p.m.
Holoh, Pakhol and Haiphong	Yochow	Fri., Oct. 12, 1 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hatching	Fri., Oct. 12, 2 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,	Terukuni Maru	Fri., Oct. 12.
East and South Africa, Aden,		
Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles		
—due Marseilles, 7th November		
K.P.O.		
Reg., Oct. 12, 10 a.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 12.45 p.m.	
Letters, Oct. 12, 1 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 1.30 p.m.	
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Shanghai and Japan	Katori Maru	Fri., Oct. 12, 2.30 p.m.
Saigon, Mauritius, Reunion and		
South Africa	Cape St. Francis	Fri., Oct. 12, 3.30 p.m.
*Manila	Pres. Johnson	Fri., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Letters for "Bandoeng-Amsterdam		
Air Mail Service		
K.P.O.		
Reg., Oct. 12, 4 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	
Letters, Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	
Australia (except places North of		
Brisbane) and New Zealand via		
Singapore and Brisbane		
(Due Brisbane, 3rd November)		
(To connect with the s.s. "Nieuw		
Zeeland" at Singapore, leaving		
Singapore on 10th October)		
Reg., Oct. 12, 4.15 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 4.15 p.m.	
Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A.,	Pres. Grant	Fri., Oct. 12.
Central and South America and		
*Europe via Victoria B.C., and		
*Europe via Siberia		
(Due Victoria B.C., 30th Oct.)		
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius,		
Bangalore		
East and South Africa, Aden,		
Egypt and EUROPE via Marseilles		
(Due Marseilles, 10th November)		
K.P.O.		
Reg., Oct. 12, 1 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 3 p.m.	
Reg., Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	
Letters, Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	
Saturday		
Straits and Calcutta	Tilgan	Sat., Oct. 13.
Reg., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 13, 8.30 a.m.	
Bangkok	Fingal	Sat., Oct. 13, 10.30 a.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Oct. 13, 2 p.m.
Foochow	Taming	Sat., Oct. 13, 5 p.m.
Sunday		
Bangkok via Swatow	Hiram	Sun., Oct. 14, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hozan Maru	Sun., Oct. 14, 9 a.m.
Monday		
Bangkok via Swatow	Kiangchow	Mon., Oct. 15, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangon	Mon., Oct. 15, 3 p.m.
Tuesday		
*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya	Tjisadano	Tues., Oct. 16, 9.30 a.m.
Straits	Kidderpore	Tues., Oct. 16, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hai Ning	Tues., Oct. 16, 3 p.m.
Amoy	Tai Yuan	Tues., Oct. 16, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Wilson	Tues., Oct. 16, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday		
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A.,	Tateuta Maru	Wed., Oct. 17.
Central and South America,		
*Canada and *Europe via San		
Francisco and *Europe via Siberia		
(Due San Francisco, 7th Nov.)		
Reg., Oct. 16, 5 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 17, 8.30 a.m.	
Letters, Oct. 17, 8.30 a.m.		
Thursday		
Amoy	Kutwang	Thurs., Oct. 18, 8.30 a.m.
Sandakan	Hinsang	Thurs., Oct. 18, 10.30 a.m.
Friday		
Japan	Kitano Maru	Fri., Oct. 19, 9.30 a.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, Canada,	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Oct. 19.
U.S.A., Central and South America		
and *Europe via Vancouver, B.C.		
(Parcels for Canada only) and		
*Europe via Siberia		
(Due Vancouver, B.C., 7th Nov.)		
Manila, Australia and New Zealand	Changlo	Fri., Oct. 19.
(via Thursday Island		
due Thursday Island, 30th October).		
Reg., Oct. 19, 9.45 a.m.	Reg., Oct. 19, 10.30 a.m.	
Letters, Oct. 19, 10.30 a.m.		
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Haiyang	Fri., Oct. 19, 2 p.m.
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## CORRESPONDENCE

S.P.C.A. Appeal

The Editor,

Hongkong Telegraph,

Sir,—The annual drive for financial support for carrying on the work of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is being conducted this year between the 10th, and 20th. October, and letters of appeal have been sent to donors and subscribers who have so kindly supported us in our work in the past.

The General Committee fully appreciate that in these times of universal trade depression it is indeed most difficult for many people in the Colony, although keenly desirous of helping all deserving causes, to meet the various calls that are now made upon their charity and especially at this season of the year. It is felt, however, from past experience, that those who are interested in the welfare of animals will do their utmost again to give the Society their fullest support on this occasion. No work like ours can advance, or even continue without generous support from the public.

One cannot publish in a letter many details connected with the problem of cruelty to animals but it might be mentioned that at present the Society maintains two whole time European Inspectors who, in addition to various other duties, are in charge of the Dogs' Home (the construction of our new Dogs' Home at Kowloon is now nearing completion); patrol streets; visit premises where animals, poultry and birds are kept; visit ships carrying livestock; visit wharves and supervise the landing of cattle etc., and areas where poultry are unloaded from lorries. Much of the work of the Inspectors is of an educational nature as the Society does not as a rule undertake any prosecutions except in serious cases of cruelty or where advice and warnings have been disregarded.

The farmer, the slaughter man and all engaged in any way in the livestock trade produce only what is required to meet our demands and therefore we each have a share of responsibility in the work of ensuring that our agents at least act in a humane manner.

The support of everyone in the Colony interested in the welfare of animals is earnestly solicited, as funds are urgently needed to enable the Society to continue to carry on its policy "to prevent cruelty and promote kindness to all animals and birds." The strictest economy is exercised in administration.

D. DAVIES,  
Vice-President.

Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

## LATE MR. J. P. DE SOUZA

## LARGE GATHERING ATTENDS FUNERAL

The funeral of the late Mr. J. P. de Souza took place yesterday at the Catholic Cemetery, Happy Valley. The Rev. Father Rossi officiated. In spite of the drizzling rain, there was a large attendance.

The chief mourners were Mrs. J. P. de Souza (widow), Amaro de Souza (son), Margie and Prieta de Souza (daughters), Mr. J. M. Pinto (son-in-law) and Mr. and Mrs. J. L. Noronha.

Among those present at the graveside were Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., G. B. Thompson, A. MacKenzie, Large and Ainsworth (representing the Star Ferry Company), F. M. V. Devan, A. Jackson, C. H. Windsor, J. A. Windsor, J. J. Maxwell, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. Sousa, Mr. A. C. da Silva, Mr. L. D. da Costa, Mr. T. Keli, Mr. D. F. J. Portugal, Mr. C. F. Sousa, Mr. R. S. de Sousa, Mr. M. Sousa, Mr. S. F. Mascarenhas, Mr. P. N. Pereira, Mr. M. Mascarenhas, C. de Sousa, A. P. Sousa, E. de Sousa, S. H. Ozorio, J. F. Almeida.

Wreaths were sent by the following: Marques de Fieulho, Consul de Portugal; Major C. M. Manners, O.B.E., the Star Ferry Co., Mr. Large, Mr. Ainsworth, C. A. Tann and Co., Dr. and Mrs. B. de Sousa, Mr. and Mrs. L. G. de Sousa, Mr. and Mrs. J. C. Hockley Team, Mrs. C. M. d'Almeida, Mr. T. Keli, Mr. A. P. Sousa, L. X. Noronha, Messrs. Diago and John Noronha, S. D. de Costa, L. X. de Costa, M. M. Mascarenhas, S. F. Mascarenhas, A. C. de Silva, Mr. and Mrs. Jumar Khan, Hongkong Money Changers Shop, Kowloon Money Changers, Staff, Meridian Star, Star Ferry, Kowloon, Kowloon, R. S. de Sousa, A. Gaveia, D. J. F. Portugal, Said Hussain, D. H. Windsor, Mr. and Mrs. J. J. Maxwell, Mr. A. Wart, Mr. and Mrs. M. A. da Silva, C. F. Sousa, Ho Sik, Messrs. Leung Shu-wing, Ip Wai-ying, Mak Wai, J. F. D. Almeida, Mr. and Mrs. C. M. de Sousa, Mr. and Mrs. B. A. Hyder, J. A. Windsor and Co., Mr. and Mrs. A. Jackson, Mr. and Mrs. John. Minihinnett, Jr., Mr. and Mrs. Minihinnett, T. M. U. Devan, Ah Hai, E. da Costa, P. N. Pereira, H. Kai and Woo Hon, Chan Kam-wah.

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## IMPROVED MARKET YESTERDAY

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz: The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's market was: Stocks were upward and trading was the most active since mid-summer, due to inflation hopes based on the President's belief that higher prices are necessary, plus the fact that Senator Bulkley thinks that further devaluation of the dollar is a possibility. Rumours that the next Session of Congress will see the elimination of the present 50% devaluation limit power vested in the President, expectation of business improvement, plus a new high record for the price of silver in both London and New York for the past five years, also helped sentiment. Bonds were upward, due to a general improvement in financial sentiment. United States Government issues were also higher, in spite of inflationary possibilities. Stocks on the Curb Exchange gained more than for many weeks past, including a rush to buy silver issues. Wheat prices were upward, due to inflation talk and reports of damage to the crop.

S. C. and F. New York office cables:—Stock: The upward movement was extended as sentiment continued to improve. The Administration reiterates its desire for higher prices and wages and speedier Bank re-openings and payments. It is indicated that farm benefit payments for the remainder of the year will exceed the total for the year preceding September. United States Steel Corp.'s September shipments are off 7,700 tons at 370,000 tons. The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey has reduced gasoline prices by 2 cents per gallon. Baldwin Locomotive Works' bookings during September totaled \$1,497,000 against \$1,281,000 last year. For the nine months ended September 30th bookings amounted to \$16,662,000, against \$7,514,000 during the first nine months of last year. Royal Typewriter prices have advanced 5 per cent. The official New York silver price advanced 2½ cents from yesterday and is now at 53½ cents per ounce. Business done:—1,390,000.

New York and Chicago commodity reported received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz:—

Cotton: The market showed a good technical position and news from Washington regarding price-levels and inflation caused an advance. Some traders doubt inflation, expressing the opinion that inflation talk is Election propaganda, but decided that it is a market influence for the present.

Grains: Further drought in the South-West, the strength of foreign markets, purchases by the Orient and inflation talk were stimulating factors.

Rubber: The market was influenced in much the same as the other markets and we expect a parallel action, pending a clarification of Washington's intentions.

Sugar: The market was dull and barely steady, owing to lack of "spot" demand and liquidation by tired long holders.

Dow-Jones Averages: Oct. 10. Oct. 11.  
30 Industrials ..... 93.75 95.50  
20 Rails ..... 36.15 36.81  
20 Utilities ..... 19.99 20.38  
40 Bonds ..... 92.73 93.03  
11-Commodity Index ..... 68.68 69.86

17-Leading Stocks. Oct. 11.  
Amer. Can ..... 102 1/4  
Amer. Smelt & Ref. .... 36 1/2  
Amer. Tel. & Tel. .... 26 1/2  
Auburn ..... 47 1/2  
J. I. Case ..... 93 1/4  
Du Pont ..... 11 1/4  
Elec. Bond & Share ..... 30 1/2  
General Motors ..... 10 1/4  
Int. Tel. & Tel. .... 46 1/2  
McIntyre ..... 23 1/2  
Montgomery Ward ..... 22 1/2  
Nat. Distillers ..... 22 1/2  
N.Y. Central ..... 22 1/2  
Secony-Vacuum ..... 13 1/2  
Union Pacific ..... 103 1/2  
U.S. Steel ..... 35  
West E. & M. .... 33

## LEAGUE'S LOSS

## CHINA SHOULD HAVE COUNCIL SEAT

London, Oct. 11. The Chinese Minister to London, Mr. Quo Tai-chi arrived here this afternoon from Geneva.

Interviewed by *Reuter*, he said that before leaving Geneva he had consulted representatives of the leading Powers on the serious consequences of China's failure to be re-elected to the League Council. This, he said, was really worse for the League than for China.

For the first time, said Mr. Quo, the Far East, with over 500,000,000 people, was not represented on the League Council, creating the appearance that Europe was indifferent to Far Eastern affairs, and strengthening the arguments of opponents who say that the League is a mere cat's paw of European diplomacy.

The result of all this, said the Chinese Minister, must be to weaken the position of Chinese champions of co-operation with the League and tend to leave China to the tender mercies of Japan. It would also give renewed strength to the Japanese cry of "Asia for Asiatics."

Mr. Quo Tai-chi believed that Western Governments fully appreciate the position and will endeavour to find means of rectifying it.—Our Own Correspondent.

## SOCIAL SERVICE

## HONGKONG WOMEN DO THEIR PART

"Before the Helena May Institute was opened, many English girls were forced to live in Wanchai tenement houses," said Mrs. E. D. C. Wolfe, wife of the Inspector General of Police during an address to members of the Women's Christian Fellowship in St. Andrew's Church Hall yesterday afternoon.

Mrs. Wolfe spoke on "The social and charitable works run by women in Hongkong." In the course of her address, she dealt with such institutions as the Benevolent Society, Ministering Children's League, Helena May Institute, Cheong Choo, Women's International Club, the Society for the Protection of Children, the St. John Ambulance and the recently formed V. A. D. Detachment of the Hongkong Volunteer Defence Corps.

The Rev. J. R. Higgs, presided, and Mrs. Wolfe was introduced to the gathering by Mrs. Fordham, secretary of the Association.

Referring to the work of the Benevolent Society Mrs. Wolfe said that the Society was formed in 1889, and was founded for the purpose of helping cases of sickness, poverty and distress amongst persons other than Portuguese and Chinese in the Colony. Mrs. Wolfe referred to the tremendous amount of work done by the secretary, Mrs. R. E. Lindell. During 1933 she said 62 cases were helped and in the first eight months of this year 65 cases were helped. This would give some indication of the increase in the demands made upon the Society's resources. The Society also supported several children at schools and helped people who were out of work to find jobs. That was the most heart-breaking job of all. The Society had lately been able to find jobs for one or two men and the reward of seeing those men happily employed made the job worth while.

Mrs. Wolfe said she did not know the actual year the Ministering Children's League started but it was the year Earl Mead passed through Hongkong on a world tour and stayed with H. E. the Governor and Lady May. Mrs. Wolfe said her first connection with the League was made when she was 18 years of age. Since those days it had grown so much that to-day it had almost outgrown its own strength. The League ran two Children's Clubs, one being the Police Branch and the other the Peak Branch. In addition, they kept two children at the M. C. L. Homes and supported a cot at the Nethersole Hospital.

## The Helena May Institute.

The Helena May Institute, said Mrs. Wolfe, was opened as a Club and Hostel in 1912 and filled a much felt want. Many girls were coming out from Home about that time to take up posts in the Colony and were unable to afford hotel expenses. Some of them stayed in tenement houses in Wanchai, a most undesirable state of affairs. Lady May then took the matter up and a drive was made in the various offices for the purpose of raising funds. Sir Ellis Kadoorie was approached for a subscription and agreed to help if the Institute was named after Lady May. The Institute now contained accommodation for 21 persons and practically all women's work was carried on there.

"We got ambitious at one time," said Mrs. Wolfe, "and started a hostel in Kowloon. In 1929 we took a house at Aimee Villas. Soon we found this was too small and in addition was a financial loss. We then took over two houses in Boundary Street near La Salle College, but that was too far from the Ferry and we were forced to close down. We still have a plot of land reserved, however, the lease on which was resumed a short while ago. I must say that it was with a great deal of heart-burning that the place in Kowloon was closed."

## "Cheero" Club.

"The new Cheero Club, is shortly to be opened," said Mrs. Wolfe. "The old premises were opened at the request of General Duncan who asked that centres for troops coming out from Home should be opened in Hongkong and Shanghai. That was in 1927. One was opened in Kowloon which has been taken over by the Y.M.C.A. and another temporary place in Hongkong. We are just about to open in a permanent building in Hongkong which will be very much nicer in every respect. All the work there depends on women. The moment it is handed over to the men it will lose its character entirely, because the great thing is, from a man's point of view, it seems to me, that they want somebody to come and talk to. This applies particularly to married men who come out here and leave their families behind."

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

## LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with *Reuter*. British Government Securities. Oct. 10. Oct. 11.

War Loan 3 1/2 %	redm. after 1962	£105 1/4	£105 1/4
Chinese Bonds			
4 1/2 % Bonds 1893 (Eng. Iss.)		£101 1/4	£101 1/4
4 1/2 % Loan 1908		£ 93 1/4	£ 93 1/4
5 % Loan 1912		£ 72	£ 72
5 % Reorg. Loan 1913 (Ldn. Iss.)		£ 95 1/4	£ 95 1/4
5 % Bonds 1925-47		£ 91	£ 91 1/4
5 % Shal-Nanking Ry.		£ 71	£ 71 1/4
5 % Tient-Pukow Ry.		£ 27	£ 27
5 % Tient-Pukow Railway (Supl. Loan)		£ 22	£ 22
5 % Shal-Tchow Ningpo Ry.		£100	£100
5 % Honan Ry.		£ 24	£ 24
5 % Hukuang Ry.		£ 30 1/2	£ 30 1/2
5 % Lung Tsing U. Ry.		£ 10 1/2	£ 10 1/2
5 % Hal Ry. 1913		£ 10 1/2	£ 10 1/2

## Foreign Bonds and Banks.

German 7 1/2 % Int. Loan 1924		£ 53	£ 50 1/2
Japan 5 1/2 % Sterling Loan 1907		£ 79 1/4	£ 79 1/4
Japan 6 % Sterling Loan 1924		£ 90 1/4	£ 91
E.K. & Shal Bk. (Ldn. Regd.)		£187 1/2	£187 1/2
Charld. Bk. £5 sh.		£ 15 1/4	£ 15 1/4

## Industrial and Breweries.

Associated Elec. Industries		22/-	22/-
British-Amer. Tob. (Bearer)		123 1/4	123 1/4
Chinese Eng. and Min. (Bearer)		25/-	25/-
Fate & Lytle		96/-	96/9
Countess		46/3	47/3
Distillers		91/3	91/6
Dunlop Rubber		40/-	40 1/4
Eveready 5/- sh.		26 1/10	26 1/10
General Electric (England)		45/6	45/6
Boots 5/- sh.		48/9	48/9
Impl. Chem. Ind.		30 1/4	30 1/4
Def. 10/- sh.		9 1/4	9 1/4
Impl. Tobacco		132/6	132/6
Woolworths 5/- sh.		100/3	102/3
Internat. Nickel no par val.		\$ 24 1/4	\$ 25 1/4
Pinehill Johnson		43/6	43/6
Turner & Newall		50/-	50/6
Unilever		23/6	24/-

## Miscellaneous.

Anglo-Dutch		25/-	25/-
Burns Corp. Rs. 10		12/3	12 1/4
Canadian Pacific Ry. \$25		\$ 13 1/4	\$ 13 1/4
Charld. 15/- sh. (Bearer)		20/6	20/9
Gulf Refining Co. Rubber		19/9	19/9
Trepan Mines 5/- sh.		9 1/4	9/3
La Brea L. & G. Estates		32/6	32/-
London Tin 10/- sh.		11 1/4	11/3
Pekin Synd. 2/- ord. sh.		2/-	2/-
Rubber Trusts		32/-	32 7/8
Shal Elec. Contr.		67/-	67/-
Van Ryn Deep		63 1/2	64 1/4
Electric Musical Industries		31 1/2	31 1/4

## Oils.

Anglo-Persian Oil		45/-	45/-
Burian Oil		78/9	79 1/4
Southern Railway (Deferred)		£ 22 1/4	£ 22
Royal Dutch 100 fl. sh.		£ 20 1/4	£ 20 1/4
Shell Trans. and Trad. (Bearer)		48 1/2	48 1/2
Goldenhulls		28 1/2	28/9
Crown Mines 10/- sh.		250/-	250/-

## SILVER PRICE

## SPECULATORS CAUSE UPWARD MOVE

London, Oct. 11. To-day's jump in the price of silver is mainly attributed to shortage of supplies of the metal on the London market, coupled with the heavy speculative orders instructing brokers to buy at the best price. Chinese and Indian speculators were especially prominent.

A leading broker, interviewed by *Reuter*, stated that there was no news to cause this rush of speculative buying; and he presumed that the speculators bought in order to forestall official American purchases.

All circles unite in pointing out that the market is most uncertain, some even describing it as dangerous.

China sold at the rise; but there are no signs of official American buying.—*Reuter*.

They simply love to show you photographs of their wives and children and some real friendships are made there."

Mrs. Wolfe also spoke of the Women's International Club which was opened in June last year, the Society for the Protection of Children, St. John Ambulance, and the recently formed V. A. D. Detachment.

She was thanked on the motion of the Chairman.

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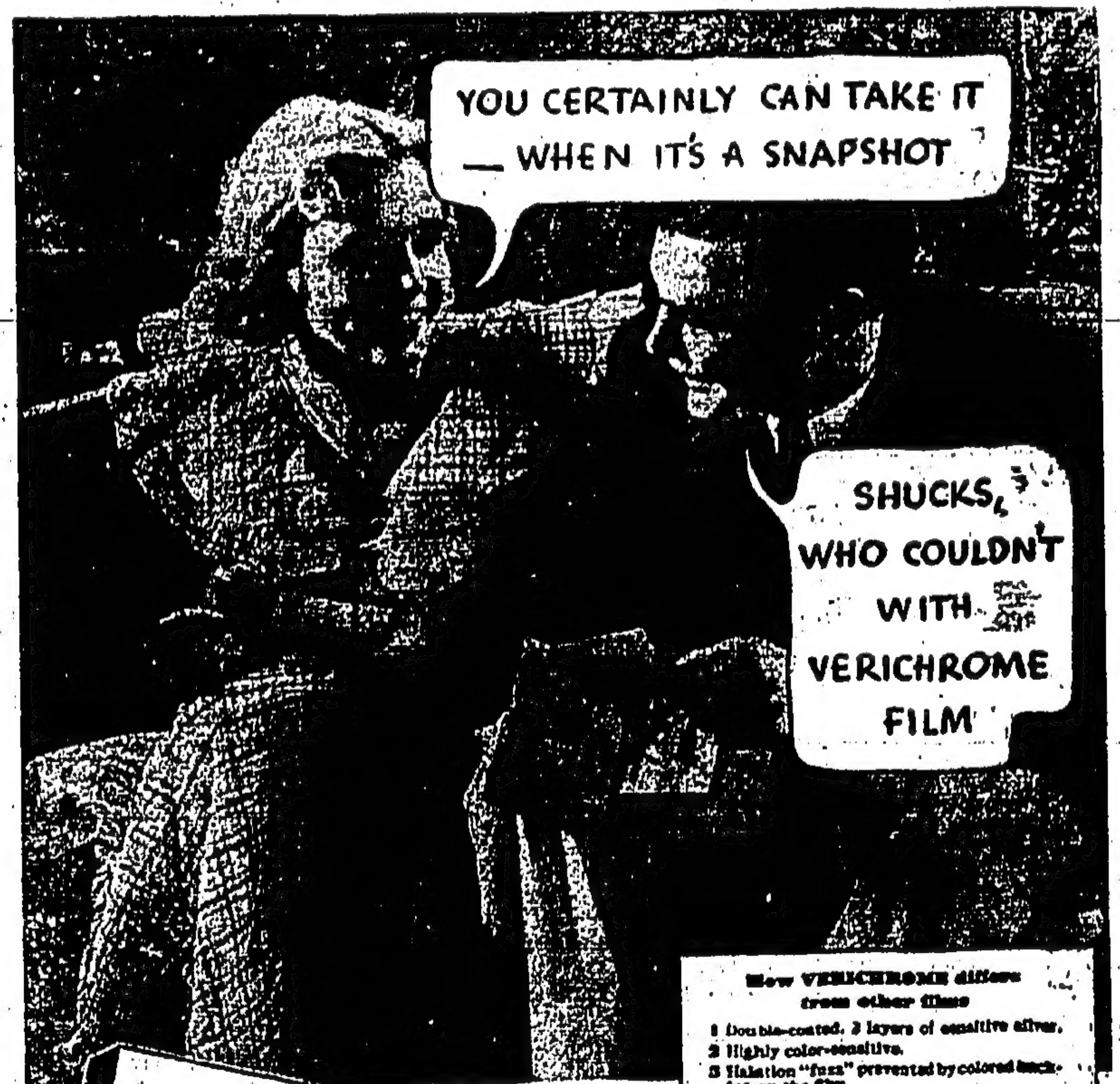
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### The Hongkong Telegraph

FRIDAY, OCT. 12, 1934.

### SILVER'S UNCERTAIN FUTURE

Hongkong business men are  
at the moment having to reckon  
with a most uncertain factor  
owing to the effect of the con-  
tinued rise in silver prices on  
the Colony's currency. The  
plain fact is that no-one knows  
what is likely to happen within  
the space of a few days or even  
hours. In such circumstances,  
the carrying out of business  
transactions must of necessity  
prove extraordinarily difficult.  
Viewed from this angle, there  
can be no questioning the  
point that a stable dollar  
would be infinitely preferable  
to the present almost daily  
fluctuation. China, vitally con-  
cerned in silver prices, has  
been laying the blame on the  
United States for the recent rise,  
which, she says, is having  
adverse effects on her export  
trade. Whilst it is perfectly  
true that America's monetary  
policy, especially in relation to  
silver, has been the main factor  
in the situation, latterly it is the  
influence of India speculators  
rather than American buying  
which has caused prices to soar.  
Surprise has been expressed in  
some quarters that China should  
complain at the effect of present  
silver rates, whereas no such  
complaints were heard when,  
some years back, the price of  
the white metal was infinitely  
higher than it now is. A point  
that must be borne in mind,  
however, is that silver has  
latterly risen, not in conformity  
with a rise in general commodi-  
ty prices, as was the case five  
or six years ago. In other  
words, its enhanced value is the  
result of the application of  
artificial measures, aided by  
speculative activity. Admitted-  
ly, America has contended that  
higher silver prices are benefi-  
cial to China, because they in-  
crease her purchasing power,  
but the U.S. policy is not based  
on this consideration; what is  
even more to the point is that  
China is concerned more over  
her export trade than with her  
ability to buy from abroad. It  
is difficult at the moment to see  
what China can do. Adoption  
of a gold standard is out of the  
question, an embargo on silver  
exports would not produce the  
effects desired, whilst devalua-  
tion of her currency would  
destroy her credit abroad. If  
silver remains at a high level,  
disproportionate to commodity  
prices, something might be done  
in the direction of correcting  
the trade balance by increasing  
import duties, but this of itself  
would not bring about the  
desired improvement in exports.  
America's buying of silver is,  
as is well known, mainly in  
conformity with the Roosevelt  
promise to assist the silver in-  
terests in the States. How long

## NOTES OF THE DAY

### FRANCE'S LOSS

France mourns to-day for the  
death of one of the world's most  
distinguished diplomats, M. Louis  
Barthou, victim of an assassin's  
mad vengeance. Crowds in Mar-  
seilles wept as the train, bearing  
M. Barthou's body, steamed out to  
Paris. The world has lost a friend  
of peace, a devout patriot and a  
brilliant and courageous statesman.  
It is a blow to French prestige in  
the Balkans that the assassination  
of King Alexander should have  
occurred as it did. There is hard  
feeling against the republic in  
Yugo-Slavia. But when the nation  
whose ruler has been murdered re-  
members that M. Barthou, himself  
mortally wounded, threw himself  
in the way of the attacker in an  
attempt to save the King, the poison  
may be drawn from the wound.  
M. Barthou's last act of sacrifice  
probably will go far towards pre-  
serving his country's friendship  
with a valuable ally.

### AUSTRALIA'S CABINET

Mr. Lyons has announced the  
personnel of his new Cabinet. The  
names are, most of them, well-  
known to Australians, and the  
strength of the Cabinet is un-  
questionable. The former At-  
torney-General and Minister for  
External Affairs, Mr. J. G.  
Latham, who lately visited Hong-  
kong in the course of a trade  
mission, is absent from the list,  
but that is because he will go to  
London, it is believed, in the  
capacity of High Commissioner,  
succeeding Mr. S. M. Bruce. The  
Rt. Hon. William Hughes, bitter  
enemy of Mr. Bruce, holds office  
for the first time. All previous  
efforts to obtain the services of  
this gentleman in the Cabinet have  
been unavailing, though Mr. Lyons  
used his most persuasive eloquence.  
Mr. Hughes told the Premier bluntly  
that he would never serve in a  
Cabinet where Mr. Bruce held  
office. Mr. Bruce has since gone to  
London, so the way was smoothed  
for Mr. Hughes' acceptance of  
Cabinet responsibility.

### NAVAL PARLEY

The Japanese and American de-  
legates are on their way to London  
to meet the British delegation at  
preliminary conferences with re-  
spect to the existing naval pacts.  
No-one knows exactly what the  
policies of the Governments con-  
cerned may be, but it is pretty cer-  
tain that neither Britain nor  
America will agree to any in-  
creasing of Japan's sea strength.  
For a time there was talk of Japan  
demanding equality with the two  
others, but the latest statement of  
policy from an official source,  
Admiral Yamamoto in this in-  
stance, indicates that Japan has in-  
mind a plan for the reduction of  
naval armaments, all-round, still  
presumably aiming at equality.  
It is useless to guess at what may  
develop from the conference, and  
until the regular sessions open  
next month there will probably be  
little intimation of what courses  
the naval experts have set for  
themselves.

### HUNGARY'S NEED

To-day we publish an article by  
Robert Boothby, M.P., one of the  
promising young Conservative  
members of Parliament, who ex-  
presses the hope that Britain, by  
example and encouragement, may  
help Europe out of her political  
difficulties, and point the way to  
peace. Mr. Boothby thinks there  
is grave danger of war, and one of  
the major causes for this fear is  
the position of Hungary. The  
matter is discussed editorially by a  
London commentator: "The Inter-  
national Law meeting in Hungary  
recently devoted itself mainly to  
academic interpretations of the  
Kellogg-Briand Pact. It would be  
better employed in discussing the  
effect on international relations of  
the Treaty of Trianon. That  
instrument was harsh, unjust, and  
oppressive to Hungary, and there  
can be no real peace in Central  
Europe until it has been revised.  
Since it was signed fourteen years  
ago, dismembered and humiliated  
Hungary has behaved with exam-  
plary fortitude under the greatest  
provocation. Three-fifths of her  
former population is condemned to  
live under alien rule. Many of her  
people have been subjected to  
gross persecution and have had  
their property confiscated. The  
plight of this gallant little country  
is one which should arouse the  
sympathy of British people, be-  
tween whom and the Magyars there  
have always existed strong ties of  
mutual regard.

it will continue is a moot point;  
there is a suggestion that it may  
not be so vigorously pursued  
after the November elections.  
But with the issue dependent on  
this factor and on the influences  
of speculative activities, the  
future both of silver and of this  
Colony's currency must be re-  
garded as most uncertain.

## TYRANNIES OF EUROPE

By ROBERT BOOTHBY, M.P.

NO one can deny that Europe  
to-day is in a terrible condi-  
tion. Worse, perhaps, than at any  
period since the Thirty Years War.  
In most countries democracy, with  
all that it implies, has been rudely  
overthrown and crude force has  
taken its place as the decisive  
factor in government. Russia,  
Germany, and Italy are in the grip  
of absolute tyrannies, and in all  
these great countries individual  
liberty has been entirely blotted  
out. Such a catastrophe would  
have been regarded as quite in-  
conceivable by any responsible  
politician of the nineteenth cen-  
tury. Economic conditions have  
deteriorated even faster than  
politics. In Poland they are bad,  
in Germany worse, and in Central  
Europe they are appalling. I  
should say that, taken all over,  
the peasants of Europe are living  
at a lower standard than they have  
done for a century, and that the  
industrial workers are consider-  
ably worse off than they were be-  
fore the war.

If such a situation rumours of  
war are inevitable, and we do not  
lack them. But I do not think  
that war will come—yet. It will  
come in two or three years if cer-  
tain problems are not tackled. If  
Germany is ready for it, and if  
the world remains as bankrupt of  
real statesmanship as it has been  
since the war. The last is a  
sweeping statement. But is it  
unjustified? Looking back on the  
Treaty of Versailles at this dis-  
tance of time, the most charitable  
view one can take of its authors  
is that they were all temporarily  
insane. The task which confront-  
ed them was nothing less than the  
reconstruction of a well-balanced  
Europe. It was not beyond the  
bounds of human accomplishment.  
A hundred years before Metter-  
nich, Castlereagh, and Talleyrand,  
in circumstances not dissimilar,  
had successfully achieved it.  
There was a lot of talk-talk in 1919  
about making the world fit for  
heroes, and safe for democracy  
and peace. But when they came  
down to realities, the policy  
adopted by the statesmen of  
Europe at Versailles was a policy  
not of reconstruction but of smash-  
and-grab; with the result that, so  
far as they could manage it, they  
made the world safe for tyranny  
and war.

Allowance must, of course, be  
made for the fearful stresses, hys-  
teria, and nervous exhaustion to  
which everyone was subjected at  
the time. Even so, the men who  
drew the present boundaries of  
Austria and Hungary can scarcely  
be forgiven. Economic impossi-  
bilities they remain. Their  
very existence has been the cause  
of untold human suffering, and  
may well be the cause of another  
European upheaval. I have long  
believed that the best solution of  
the problem of Central Europe  
would have been the creation, im-  
mediately after the war, of a  
strong mid-European State, em-  
bracing Hungary, Austria, Wurtem-  
berg, Bavaria, and, possibly,  
Czecho-Slovakia. It would have  
taken the form of a federation,  
with semi-autonomous units; and

a central Government, probably  
established in Vienna, which  
might have been a limited mon-  
archy, or which might have  
corresponded to the Federal  
Government of the United States.  
Such a State would have been a  
well-balanced economic unit, and  
its component parts would have  
had much in common, including  
language, religion and culture.  
Vienna, Salzburg, Munich, and  
Bayreuth, it is not difficult to  
imagine the artistic contribution  
it might have made to a world  
which still laid claim to be  
civilised. Alas, this was far be-  
yond the statesmanship of the  
time. And that particular oppor-  
tunity has now been lost for ever.

Versailles was followed by one  
of the most tragic and disastrous  
decades in the history of Europe.  
A decade during which America  
repudiated all her obligations, Mr.  
Lloyd George's eleven-hour effort  
to save the sum of things at Genoa  
ended in complete failure, the  
French occupied the Ruhr, and  
the reparations tangle dragged on  
from bad to worse. A decade  
which killed Erzberger, Rathenau,  
Stresemann, and Briand. To-day  
we are reaping the fruits of its  
unutterable follies. Austria is,  
inevitably, the powder magazine.  
She is threatened by Germany in  
the north, by Italy in the south,  
by Yugo-Slavia in the east. If any  
one of these three countries were  
to set armed forces in motion war  
would assuredly follow. Is there  
a way out? And can Great Brit-  
ain help Europe to find and take  
it? I think the answer to both  
questions is in the affirmative.  
The immediate danger is economic.  
Hungary men are desperate, and  
there may be a lot of hungry  
people on the Continent before the  
winter is over. There will have to  
be some readjustment of frontiers  
—particularly of Hungarian fron-  
tiers. But that can wait. The  
first thing to aim at is economic  
federation between the Danubian  
countries, backed by the Great  
Powers. By this I do not mean  
more loans to Austria or Hungary.  
We have already sunk enough  
money that way which we shall  
never see again. I mean moral  
and commercial support. At the  
same time we should make it quite  
clear that we shall never counte-  
nance a solution of the problems of  
Central Europe by war, or take  
part in it; and make sure that we  
are able to defend our own shores  
against any conceivable attack.

One final word. I do not believe  
that the reign of force and terror  
has come to stay. Tyranny will  
not prevail in Europe. It is a  
passing phase, born of the war,  
and of the peace which followed it.  
As a nation we must never com-  
promise our fundamental convic-  
tions. We believe in freedom and  
hate tyranny. Then let us boldly  
say so. From our position of  
comparative isolation and security,  
it is natural that our sensibilities  
should have become somewhat  
blunted in face of the horrors  
which have been perpetrated on  
the Continent during the last few  
years. But wholesale political  
butchery without trial and the  
(Continued on Page 4.)



"Now remember, it's costing us a lot of money to send you  
to a school with such social advantages, so you must not just  
bury yourself in books."

## The Very Idea!

### WINTER DRAWS ON, MADAM

Mr. Edward Kelly, the famous  
meteorological expert, wishes to  
announce that, commencing next  
Monday at 2 a.m. sharp, it will  
be time for Hongkong people to  
get into their winter clothes.  
He realises, naturally, that 2 a.m.  
is rather an awkward time for  
the change-over, but, anyway,  
most people will be just thinking  
of going to bed then.

WE WISH to report that,  
commencing next Mon-  
day, we will bring summer  
to a satisfactory conclusion.

There have, we admit,  
been several occasions when  
the weather has not been  
quite satisfactory, but we  
flatter ourselves that, in con-  
junction with Mr. Jeffries,  
we have brought this de-  
partment to a high state of  
efficiency this year.

Several efforts were made  
during the course of summer to  
bring a typhoon to Hongkong,  
but, unfortunately, the animal  
succeeded in breaking away from  
its keepers each time.

We are glad that the measures  
we took last year to alleviate the  
water shortage have borne fruit,  
the arrangements made with  
Jupiter Pluvius Inc., proving  
highly satisfactory.

At the same time, we would  
like to draw the attention of  
Hongkong residents to the grow-  
ing practice of throwing stones  
into the sea at the various  
beaches surrounding the Colony.  
If mothers continue to allow their  
children to throw stones into the  
harbour there will be dry land  
between Kowloon and the Peak,  
and then the bad, bad men who  
hold wild parties on the Peak will  
come and gobble them.

In all other respects the weather  
gave us complete satisfaction.  
Humidity was kept at a high level  
throughout the summer, and our  
flea, flies, ants, mosquitoes and  
various insects were as busy and  
entertaining as ever, making some  
of the finest bites recorded in the  
Colony.

During the winter season  
we propose continuing our  
policy of giving the public  
what it doesn't want.

During this period we shall  
expect our readers to rid their  
bodies of bites, scratches, and,  
where practicable, boils, as these  
are inconvenient when sitting  
down on the long evenings we pro-  
pose to introduce.

These long evenings will be  
utilised in various ways, such  
as drinking, eating, drinking,  
smoking, drinking or in any  
other of the many evening re-  
creations known to modern  
people.

In view of the weather we have  
in view, our clients would be  
advised to see that they do not  
catch cold. Men, women, and  
sorry, ladies, gentlemen and  
children should at once put on  
flannel drawers.

Flannel drawers are easy to  
make and quick to adjust. They  
are made of flannel and wrap  
around each leg at the knee and  
follow the shape of the leg until  
there is no leg left.

Then the two legs join into one  
leg and form the body, which is  
the same size for very thin people  
and more than ten times the size  
for fat people.

If the flannel drawers go higher  
than the waist-line they cease to  
be flannel drawers and become  
flannel combinations.

If the upper part of a combina-  
tion has no legs in it, but extends  
to the ground, it becomes a fear-  
ful thing called a flannel nightie.

Some people obtain extra  
warmth by wearing a night-  
cap on their head, but we pre-  
fer to drink ours.

Of course, over these clothes we  
have mentioned, it is better, for  
street wear, to don other clothes.  
Convention dictates this, although  
readers can, if they wish, defy  
convention.

### You Will, Will You.

Baker & Taylor Company  
55 Fifth Avenue  
New York City  
Dear Sirs:

To you-I have been referred  
as capable of recommending me a  
good book of strong, powerful  
English for effective composition—  
won't you kindly do so? I'll "make  
it right with you, I will!"

Yours truly,  
Jerome D.  
(Signed)







# HONGKONG'S BATTING COLLAPSE

## TO TRAIN GERMAN SWIMMERS

JAPAN'S OLYMPIC  
COACH

OFFERS THANKS  
TO HONGKONG

FOR HOSPITALITY

(By "Veritas").

Leading German swimmers are to be trained for the 1936 world olympics by a Japanese expert. This unusually friendly arrangement is part of a deal between Germany and Japan to exchange national delegates whose mission it is to teach the cultural characteristics of the two countries. Mr. E. Tsuruoka, 100 and 200 metres free style swimming champion of Japan, and professor of the art of Ju Jitsu, is the gentleman who is to visit Berlin and Leipzig to teach these two national arts of Japan to the youth of Nazidom.

He arrived in Hongkong yesterday on board the Torukune Maru, en route for Germany, and while here paid his respects to officials of local sports associations with whom he came into contact earlier in the year when he brought the Japanese Olympic team back from Manila.

### OFFICIAL THANKS.

Mr. Tsuruoka, who retains very happy memories of his previous visit to Hongkong, was asked specially by the Japanese Amateur Athletic Federation, for whom he is acting as delegate in his visit to Europe, to convey to the sportsmen of Hongkong the Association's warm appreciation for all that was done for the Manila Olympic team when they passed through the Colony. They wished particularly to convey their thanks to the Kowloon Cricket Club and officials of the Lawn Tennis Association.

Mr. Tsuruoka is viewing his mission with great enthusiasm, and when I spoke to him, he said his visit was part of a scheme whereby delegates versed in the cultural characteristics of Japan and Germany were to exchange visits.

He would remain in Germany until 1936, when he would take charge as coach and manager of the Japanese Olympic swimming team which would be sent to Berlin.

While there he would instruct the Germans in swimming and Ju Jitsu.

### CORRESPONDENT

Bowls Dinner.

Sir,—I see in your morning contemporary that a dinner is to be held in connection with the official ending of the bowls season, but the hour of commencing the dinner is not mentioned. The only clue to this is that immediately after the match players and spectators alike will adjourn to the K.C.C. pavilion for the dinner. As the match is due to commence at 2.30 it should finish by 6 o'clock at the latest, so presumably the dinner is to be served at the latter hour and I won't even have time to have one for the read. Just too bad.

OLD TOM OLIVE

### BASEBALL VISIT

The All-Star Major League baseball team had arranged to tour the Orient this autumn and will sail from Vancouver, B.C., by the Empress of Japan, October 20.

## WAS IT DUE TO COLD FEET?

### BLACK DAY FOR THE COLONY

#### DROPPED CATCHES BUGBEAR

(By R. Abbt)

The news that Shanghai had won the toss on a perfect wicket was rather a blow, and I am not a bit surprised at the large score they rattled up.

It was unfortunate that Stokes was dropped—before his century as he made sixty-four more runs. Apart from this, however, the fielding is stated in a private letter to have been magnificent, while Dunkley, who caught one and stumped two, only gave away three byes in an innings of three hundred and thirty-five.

LUCKLESS PEREIRA.

Pereira did not get a wicket and I shall be interested to know if it was the perfect wicket or the effects of sea-sickness which upset the applicator. I recollect one very experienced cricketer a month ago telling me he did not expect Pereira to take wickets on a good Shanghai pitch.

Ricketts and Pearce seem to have risen nobly to the occasion. I have no doubt however that Pereira will have his chance if the wicket wears—and anyway he is worth his place for his fielding alone.

The great point was on Wednesday that we survived a short spell of batting at the end without losing a wicket.

#### A DISASTROUS SECOND DAY.

Badly as things had gone on the first day, even worse was to come. There was a good deal of speculation when the cable to the Cricket Club came in last night as to whether there had been rain. Actually it is said in *Reuter's* message that the wicket had shown signs of wear. But even so I find it hard to explain the collapse except by cold feet.

Pereira alone of the early batsmen mastered the bowling to a certain extent. The complete failure of Garthwaite and McInnis surprised me most. I had expected them to stop even if they did not make large scores. Owen Hughes is definitely on the nervous side, and I imagine being dropped off the first ball completed his discomfiture.

It remained for Madar, who seems to like the Shanghai ground, and Ricketts to save our face a little. I have all along said that not enough use was made of the latter as a bat. Pereira also hit gallantly.

#### ANOTHER DROPPED CATCH.

It is curious how catches seem to follow the bad fieldsmen. In the first innings Stokes gave a chance to Baines, who is the least safe catch on the side, and in the second, he has given one to Baines' substitute Williams whose fielding was the chief cause of his falling to get into the side.

With that catch went down any faint hope we might have had of skittling Shanghai out for a few and possibly bringing off a spectacular victory.

Now nothing less than a miracle—or a fortnight's rain can save us, and the queer thing is that Pat Madar, unless he has improved out of all recognition, is a very ordinary spin bowler—certainly not as good as Minu and no better than Elvin; tho' of course they are left-handers.

## Donates Million Yen For Stadium

### JAPANESE SPORTS TO BENEFIT

Tokyo, Oct. 22

Ylchi Kishi, heir to the large fortune left by his father, Seichi Kishi, famed Japanese sportsman, to-day announced that he is donating ¥1,000,000 to the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association for the construction of a huge central sports building.

The gift will be made October 29, anniversary of the death of Seichi Kishi, long time member of the International Olympic Committee. Seichi Kishi was president of the J.A.A.A. until the time of his death, just before the world olympic games held in 1932 in Los Angeles.

He was one of Japan's most famous criminal lawyers and amassed a fortune from his practice of law. He was an ardent sportsman and a lover of all sports, and was prominent in Japanese sporting circles throughout his lifetime.

Seichi was to have honorarily presided over the Tenth Far Eastern Games, held in Manila several months ago. Owing to his death, however, Seichi's position as honorary president of the Far Eastern Games committee was taken over by Ryoze Hiranuma.

## Football League Fixtures

### FOR THE COMING WEEK-END

In response to several requests, the fixture list of the Hongkong Football League for the week-end is published again to-day, and in future it will appear in these columns every Thursday and Friday.

The matches for Saturday and Sunday next follow.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Kick-off 4.30 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

#### SATURDAY.

S. China "B" v Borderers—Caroline Hill.  
Recreio v Lincolns—King's Park.  
Club v Athletic—Club.  
Police v Kowloon—Kowloon.  
East Lancs. v R.A.—Sookunpoo.

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Kick-off 3 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

Kowloon v Borderers—Kowloon.  
Navy v Lincolns—Caroline Hill.  
Club v Athletic—Club.  
Eastern v R.A.—Military, 4.30.  
University v R.E.—Athletic, 4.30.  
East Lancs. v Y. Indians—Chatham Road, 4.30.

#### THIRD DIVISION.

Kick-off 3 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

R.A.M.C. v Recreio—St. Joseph's.  
Police v Railway—Railway.  
R.A.O.C. v Radio—Military.  
R.A.F. v Lincolns—King's Park.  
East Lancs. v Borderers—Chatham Road.

#### SUNDAY.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Navy v St. Joseph's—Caroline Hill.

#### THIRD DIVISION.

R.A.S.C. v R.E.—Chatham Road.

Let us hope that, even if Shanghai are about two hundred and sixty on with six wickets to fall, our people show up well to-day.

### LEAVES SOON



## LOSS TO LOCAL FOOTBALL

### Pardoe Being Transferred

#### SAILS NOVEMBER

#### CAPT. FLEETWOOD AS WELL

(By "Veritas").

Unless the next trooping season brings a draft of new football players, the Royal Artillery will be hard put to raise a team in the first division of the local football league later this season.

They are definitely losing Pardoe, captain of the team, next month, when he is being transferred to Gibraltar, and they are also likely to be robbed of the services of Hopkins and other first team players.

Pardoe will be sorely missed. A very fine exponent of the art of centre-half play, he has been one of the mainstays of the Artillery for the last two seasons, and gained well earned Interport and other recognitions during that time.

He was at his best in 1932-33, when his highly developed constructive play inspired the Artillery to retain the leadership of the league for three parts of the season. They were eventually beaten for first place by South China and for runners-up by the Borderers.

Pardoe is still playing an excellent brand of football, but is suffering from really adequate lack of support, and a great deal of the value of his fine work is lost because of this.

#### CAPT. FLEETWOOD ALSO.

His quiet demeanour on the field and encouraging spirit makes him an ideal captain, and his personality on the soccer arenas of Hongkong will be sadly missed.

Another big football personality to be lost shortly to the Colony is Capt. Fleetwood, who is O.C. of the Royal Artillery football team, and a gentleman, whose sound judgment has been of great assistance to officials of the Hongkong F.A.

Capt. Fleetwood, who, I believe I am right in observing, has not missed attending a single match of the Artillery first team for the past three seasons, is also being transferred to Gibraltar, and will, in a manner of speaking, be taking Pardoe with him.

The R.A. football club will be the poorer by his absence, and footballers generally will deplore his departure.

## Arsenal Favoured For Cup

London.

Arsenal, the Football League Champions, are favourites for both the F.A. Cup and the League Championship. A firm of West-End commission agents are offering the following odds on the Cup:

- 10-1 Arsenal
- 14-1 Aston Villa
- 16-1 Huddersfield Town
- 16-1 Manchester City
- 16-1 Sheffield Wednesday
- 20-1 Derby County
- 20-1 Leicester City
- 20-1 Portsmouth
- 20-1 Tottenham Hotspur

It is surprising to see that Manchester City, the Cup holders, are quoted at 16-1 joint third favourite, while Portsmouth who were the other finalists last year are 20-1.

The odds against Arsenal winning the League are quoted at 3-1.

# E. C. FINCHER'S KNOCK FOR K.C.C.

## Eight U.S. Track Stars For Manila

ARRIVE ON  
OCT. 22

Tokyo, Oct. 5.

Eight track and field stars will leave Japan October 12 on the liner General Pershing for Manila, to show their speed and agility to fans in the Philippines.

Wives of two of the stars will accompany the performers. Those making the trip, a portion of a larger delegation which performed in Japan during recent weeks, are:

Ralph Metcalf, Marquette University, sprinter.

Glenn Cunningham, University of Kansas, distance star.

Howard Green, Texas Christian, quarter-mile.

Charles Hornbostel, University of Indiana, half-mile.

Frank Crowley, New York A. C. distance runner.

Gordon Dunn, Stanford University, shot and discus.

Wirt Thompson, Philadelphia, pole vault.

John Anderson, shot and discus.

Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Crowley will be with the party.

The General Pershing is scheduled to arrive in Manila on October 22.

Hornbostel plans to continue westward from Manila to Europe. The remainder will return home via the Pacific.

## HOCKEY HANDBOOK

### PRASEWORTHY COMPILATION

#### FILLS A VERY REAL NEED

The first official handbook of the Hongkong Hockey Association has now been published, and is an exceptionally praiseworthy piece of work, fulfilling as it does, a very great need.

Its contents are what one might describe as strictly essential, and include the rules of the Hongkong Hockey Association, the rules of the game, descriptions of last season's interports with Malaya and Manco, as well as reports on the important local competitions such as the International Tournament.

#### PAST PERSONALITIES.

Sketches of some of the most prominent players in the Colony, and brief histories of the clubs, constitute attractive features of the booklet, while Mr. E. W. Hamilton's foreword will be generally appreciated by hockey players, bringing before them as it does aspects and personalities of the early days of the game in Hongkong.

In every respect the handbook is a splendid compilation, well printed and neatly bound. The compilers are deserving of the thanks of the hockey fraternity of the Colony for such an absorbing collection of facts concerning the game here, and certainly no player can afford to be without this handbook, which is offered for \$1, obtainable from the Hon. Secretary and Treasurer of the Hockey Association and from the publishers, the South China Morning Post, Ltd.

## LAWRENCE SETS NEW MARK FOR 220 YARDS

### AT V.R.C. MEETING.

After smashing the 100 Yards Free Style record on Wednesday, W. Lawrence established a new mark for the 220 Yards Free Style yesterday afternoon when the Annual Swimming Championships of the Victoria Recreation Club were continued.

Lawrence's time for the event was 2 mins. 27.2/5 secs. as compared with the old record of 2 mins. 30.4/5 secs. created by J. R. Johnston in 1929.

L. Rosa Pereira provided the only opposition to Lawrence in the race. He could not keep up with the hot pace however, and finished nearly ten yards behind.

Lawrence showed he was out to smash the record by starting at a great pace and drew away into a lead, which he increased at every turn.

He was given a splendid ovation (Continued on Page 9).

## FLOGS THE K.K.C.C. ATTACK

### RAMSAY RETAINS HIS SHOTS

#### CLUB MAY LOSE LOWE

(By R. Abbt)

The principal local event of the week in cricket was the match between the H.K.C.C., fielding a very depleted team, and the K.C.C. who were with-out Burnett, Munn and Mackay.

The visitors won the toss and made good use of a rather dead wicket, but they were largely indebted to Teddy Fincher, who was only three short of his century when bowled by a full-toss—or so I am told.

I saw the first sixty of his runs and very nicely they were put together. He started slowly and, with Ramsay, paid great consideration to the bowling of Millbank and Lowe, who started.

#### KEPT ON TOO LONG.

But though they sent down some good stuff at times I personally think it was an error to keep them on until over forty had been scored for no wicket. It definitely played Teddy in and he began to be much more enterprising than his wicket.

Ramsay showed that he has lost none of his old strokes. Zimmerman fell to Duckitt very soon and so did Hung who played right across one which he seemed to be trying to turn to leg. The Club bowling was not very impressive, except for Duckitt—whose figures of 17-2-43-5 are excellent.

#### SIXTH WICKET STAND.

Smith and Perry made a good sixth wicket stand and took the score to over two-hundred.

Fincher declared at two hundred and eighteen for seven, and only when Griffiths and Duckitt were together did they ever look like getting them. Smith found some of his old form but the Club had a bad tail, and collapsed before E.F. Fincher—who is not one of the K.C.C. leading bowlers!

Lowe had been called away and so K.C.C. won by sixty runs. I understand Lowe is probably leaving the Colony—at all events temporarily. The Club—second—will miss him—as he seems to make the ball do a little off the pitch.

#### PRESS CRICKET TEAM.

The Hongkong Press will meet the Indian Recreation Club 2nd XI in a friendly cricket match tomorrow, the game to start at 2 p.m. on the Sookunpoo ground. The Press will be represented by the following: F. M. Al Arculli (Daily Press), (Capt.), S. A. Gray (Telegraph), E. MacNider (S.C.M. Post), R. Goldman (Daily Press), C. E. Stuart (S.C.M. Post), J. M. Kelleher (S.C.M. Post), C. L. Chan (S.C.M. Post), J. R. Luko (Telegraph), C. W. Clifton (Telegraph), A. R. Markar (Daily Press) and C. E. Wong (S.C.M. Post).

## TRAGEDY OF BOXER'S WIVES

MRS. GAINS'S  
SECRET

### WHY SHE STOPPED PETERSEN FIGHT

"Everyone is asking why I stopped the fight. I will tell you, for it takes another woman to understand."

Fair-haired, pale-faced, tense, Mrs. Larry Gains, the German wife of the coloured Canadian boxer, poured out her heart finding relief in telling of that harrowing 13th round of the Gains-Petersen fight at the White City last month when, unable to see her man take more punishment, she insisted on the towel being thrown into the ring.

"Need I say that my husband has been very angry with me? He would have fought until he dropped, but sitting there alone at the ringside, watching blood dripping from a cut over his right eye, and great puffy swellings closing up his left eye, I could stand no more for him."

"Any woman will realise how it feels to be a boxer's wife—to see your man fighting, not knowing what may happen. Mrs. Len Harvey knew, for she comforted me."

#### MAKE-UP DISGUISE.

"Larry and I have been married for nine years, and I have seen almost all his fights during that time. For a year or so he would not let me go, but I usually managed to slip in unknown to him. I always wanted to be there, just in case I might be of help to him."

"I felt less worried when Larry fought Carnera in May 1932. He was incapacitated from the start by the reopening of the cut over his right eye, a cut which he got in sparring a few days before the fight."

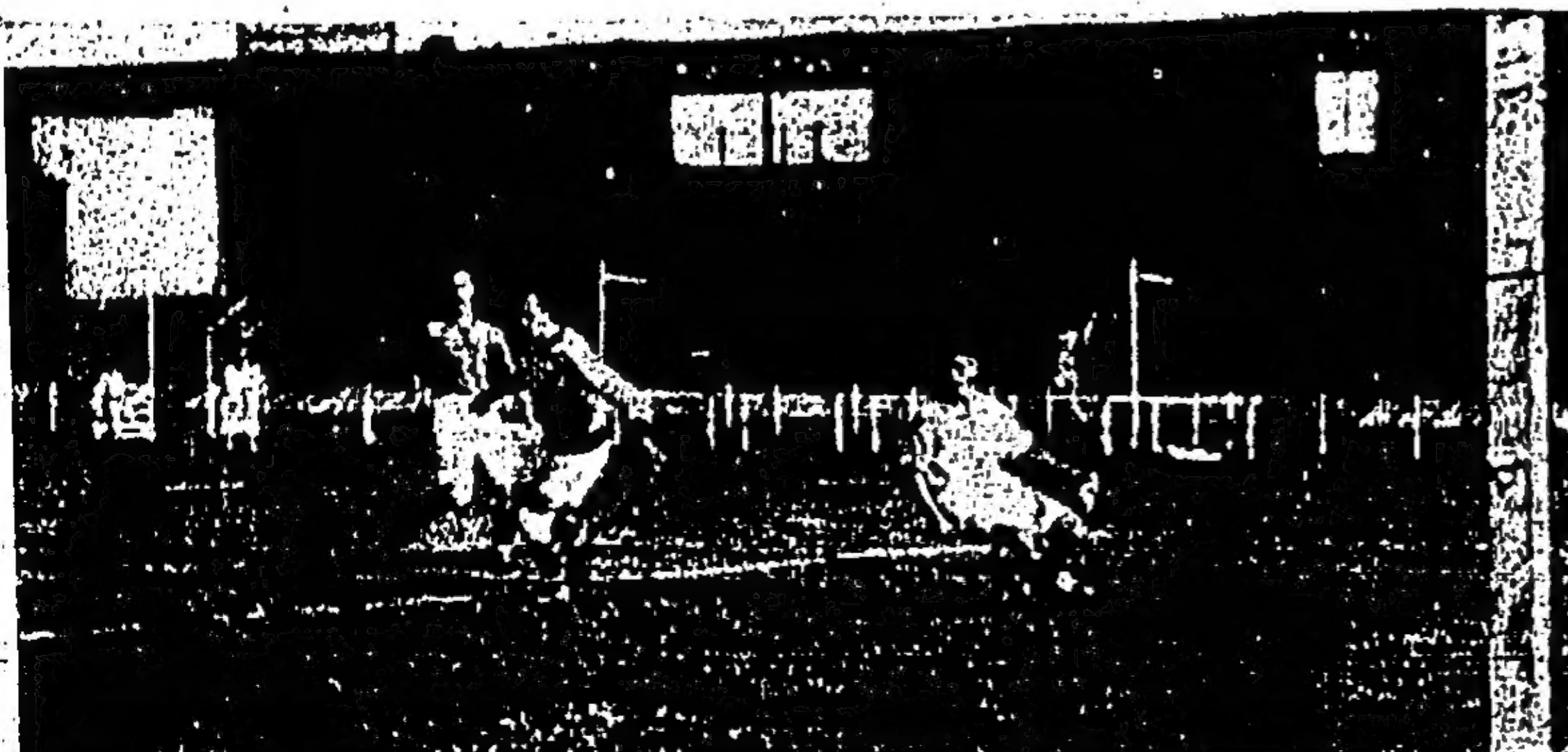
"We patched it up beforehand, covering the scar with my eyebrow pencil. It all seems very exciting to the fight-fans to see two men battering at each other, but they never think of the reactions of the boxers' wives."

"I have sat alone at the ringside hearing people shouting all sorts of savage things which have made my blood run cold. Boxing is a cruel game for the women who have to sit and watch their men battering their youth away."

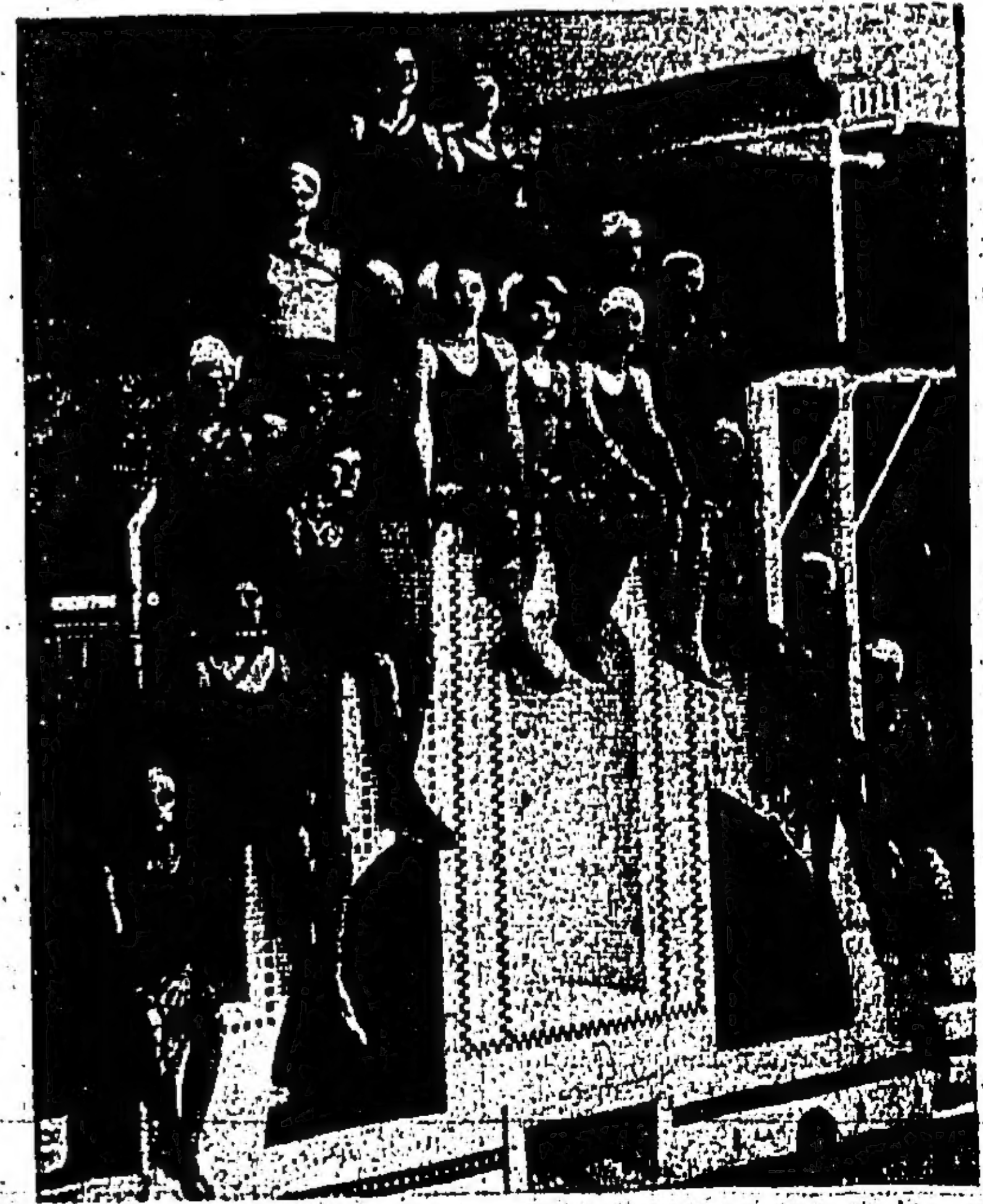
## FRIENDLY HOCKEY

### Recreio Team For To-day

The following is the Club de Recreio team against the Royal Corps of Signals in a friendly hockey match to-day on their own ground.—H. Britoy, A. A. dos Remedios and J. J. Remedios, M. Oliveira, J. Goncalves and Dr. A. Rodriguez, C. D'Almada, G. Gutierrez, P. Nolasco, P. Rosario, and A. A. R. Botelho.



M. Remond, the French custodian, in a difficult situation during the Worcester v. A. S. F. match at the Candmore, Shanghai, recently. Remond ran out to clear from Curtis, the new Army player, but the latter passed to the other wing. Nicolass saved the French goal from another attack by clearing well away.



CATHEDRAL SCHOOL SWIMMERS. Some of the senior swimmers who took part in the annual gala held at the Country Club, Shanghai last month by the scholars of the Cathedral School for Girls.



## TRENTBRIDGE'S SURPRISING RECORD RUN

## ESTABLISHES NEW FIVE FURLONG FIGURES

## HOW DIANA BAY WAS BEATEN IN CLASSIC RACE

## VALLEY HOLIDAY MEETING REVIEWED

(By "Captain Foster")

The weather, after all, was kind last Wednesday and the course, although yielding, was quite good, but not one on which fast times could have been expected. I was not prepared to see any records broken and was therefore surprised to hear that Trentbridge had lowered the five furlong record by a fifth of a second winning the Double Tenth Plate.

A small field of four ponies faced the barrier for this race, and it was expected that either Diana Bay or Trentbridge would be returned the winner. When the barrier was released Diana Bay at once took command, closely followed by Trentbridge, and this position was maintained until entering the straight for home. At this point Trentbridge moved up and passed Diana Bay, somewhat easily I thought, to win by four lengths. Sadko came with his accustomed rush but he was not good enough to offer any challenge to Mr. Dunbar's mare, and had to be content with third place.

St. Joan ran a rattling good race to win the Katoomba Handicap by three lengths from Empire Day. I thought she was nicely handled by Mr. Proulx throughout the race, and the waiting tactics employed, in view of her heavy impost, was completely justified. In my previous notes I mentioned that Empire Day showed me in her running in the Katoomba Handicap that I could with safety leave her out in my calculations for future events. I now feel that I am wrong in coming to this conclusion, and that one should not discard her when weighing her prospects for future non-winning "B" Class Australasian events. In the Katoomba Handicap she carried 155 lbs. and the reduction of 15 lbs. in the Katoomba Handicap apparently made all the difference to her form.

National Day and King's Parade fought out a pretty finish in the Kwangtung Handicap, the former, well ridden by Mr. Deltz, winning by a neck.

Another good finish was seen between Cavalcade and Classic Hall in the Fukien Handicap, Cavalcade winning by three quarters of a length. Waiting tactics in front were apparently

employed by Mr. Heard on Classic Hall, and he very nearly succeeded in winning the race. It was a quarter mile race as the first mile was done in the slow time of 2-13—a good exercise gallop.

Soldier of Britain won the Hunan Handicap—as anticipated—but his performance was far from convincing. He did not win easily, nor in the style of a class animal.

## LAWRENCE SETS NEW MARK

(Continued from Page 8.)

when it was announced that he had beaten the previous record by 3.2/5 seconds.

Only two entries were received for the 100 Yards Ladies' Championship of the Colony. Mrs. L. Mead won easily from Miss Doris Hunt in 08.3/5 seconds.

The Hongkong University caused a sensation in the Relay Race by bending two strong V.R.C. teams. For this, they had L. Oliveira to thank. Swimming No. 1, he out-paced even W. Lawrence, to give his team a lead of two yards. It was a great race, the under graduates winning by a yard.

Full results of yesterday's events follow:

100 Yards Free Style Handicap ("C" Class).—1, A. A. Noronha; 2, C. N. da Silva; 3, J. J. Alvares.

100 Yards Ladies' Championship.—1, Mrs. L. Mead; 2, Miss Doris Hunt. Time: 08.3/5 secs. (A record).

220 Yards Free Style Championship of the Colony.—1, W. Lawrence; 2, L. Roza Pereira. Time: 2 mins. 27.2/5 secs. (A record).

100 Yards Free Style Junior Championship.—1, J. A. Gutierrez; 2, L. A. Soares; 3, A. McGrann.

50 Yards Free Style Handicap (Boys under 12).—1, E. Roza.

Relay Race.—1, Hongkong University; 2, V.R.C. "A."

## HONGKONG BATSMEN GO TO PIECES AGAINST SHANGHAI

## They Say—

THAT New Star is not particularly sound. he is at Fanling under-going treatment.

THAT Brilliant Star is still up North.

THAT under the circumstances her prospects for the St. Leger next month are not too bright: she may not even start in the last of the Classics.

THAT the St. Leger this year will be an open race.

## ICE HOCKEY BOOM

## PLANS FOR 250,000 NEW SKATERS

## EUROPEAN LEAGUE

How ice hockey has gained popularity as a high-speed sport is shown by the fact that the organisation of a European league is on the verge of completion.

The initiative was taken by the British Ice Hockey Association, and the ten competing clubs, which will play home and home matches, and do their travelling by air, are: Streattham, Richmond, and two Wembley teams, representing England; the Stade Francais and Racing Club de France, both with their headquarters in Paris; Bale and Zurich, Switzerland; Berlin and Munich.

A couple of months only will be devoted to the competition, which will be run on a pool system with five clubs in each pool. The top four in each pool will play off for the championship.

## PROMISING BRITONS.

Supporters' clubs are being organised on speedway lines by the English in London nearly every night of the week, and famous Canadian players, such as Lou Bates, the champion all-round athlete of Ottawa, who captains Wembley, and George Shaw, from Stratford, Ontario, who joins Streattham, will be here shortly ready for the start of the season this month.

Many young English players are coming to the fore. Neville Meland, a nephew of the late Lord Oxford and Asquith, is to captain Richmond. An all-English team is to compete in the world championships at Davos in January, and it is hoped to send a representative side to tour Canada and the United States for the first time.

The ice rinks are making preparations for dealing with 250,000 new skaters this winter. Professionals who will be at the disposal of skaters include Paul Kreeckow, at Richmond; the Austrian girl, Melitta Brunner, who is instituting slimming classes for women on the ice; and Karl Meistrick the Austrian champion and former world champion.

A ten party to bid farewell to the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G., Inspector General of Police, will be given on Monday, next at 5.15 p.m., at the Hongkong Police Reserve (Chinese Coy.) Club.

## FEEBLE DISPLAY IN FACE OF SPIN BOWLING

## T. A. PEARCE AND MADAR STAND OUT ON THEIR OWN

## STOKES HEADING FOR BIG SCORE

Hongkong batting went to pieces against the Shanghai spin attack yesterday when the cricket Interport was continued at the Northern port. The Colony were dismissed for 151, chiefly thanks to Pat Madar, who took five cheap wickets. T. A. Pearce and A. H. Madar and Pereira were the only Hongkong batsmen to face the bowling with confidence, and there were several deplorable failures.

Shanghai, Oct. 11.

The weather was sunny and the wicket was showing signs of wear when E. J. R. Mitchell and the Rev. H. W. Baines resumed Hongkong's innings with seven runs on the board without loss. Mitchell was the first to leave, being bowled by Booth for six with only twelve runs scored. (12-1-0).

Alec Pearce went in first wicket down and by aggressive cricket carried the score to 30 after sixty minutes' play. Baines reached his ten when he had been batting for 76 minutes, but he was brilliantly caught by Pat Madar off Leach without addition to his score. (44-2-10).

Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite joined Pearce and the half century went up in 90 minutes. Eighteen runs later Garthwaite left for four, and Owen Hughes, Hongkong's captain, filled the vacancy. (68-3-4).

Off the first ball that Madar sent down to Owen Hughes the batsman was missed in the slips, but he was clean bowled by the fifth ball delivered by Madar after the batsman had made four. (73-4-4).

A snorter from Madar terminated Pearce's innings which had been aggressive throughout. He scored 39 runs principally by off drives. (74-5-39).

Melness who had relieved Owen Hughes had A. H. Madar as his partner. The Hongkong C.C. player went out after one run and been added to the score. He was caught by Kermant off Madar for a "duck." (75-6-0).

Minu scored only one run and was bowled with the score at 81. (81-7-1).

Madar and Ricketts were together at the lunch adjournment, the Indian R. C. player having made seven and the Hongkong C. C. representative eleven. Up to the interval P. Madar had taken four wickets for eleven runs in ten overs, three of which were maidens.

After lunch the century was hoisted when Shanghai conceded two leg byes. The innings had lasted for 176 minutes.

Leach going on with the score at 120, dismissed Ricketts with his first

ball, the batsman being caught by Booth for 21. (120-8-21).

Pereira and Madar made another stand, but at 151 the fast bowler was caught by Leach off Booth for 23. (151-9-23). Dunkley was unable to stay and was sent back without any further addition to the total, the innings closing at 151 scored in 230 minutes.

Instead of enforcing the follow-on Shanghai went in for their second innings but wickets began to fall fast.

## BAINES HURT.

Williams filled in place of Baines when Hongkong took the field for Shanghai's second innings. Baines is suffering from an injured foot.

Pereira and Garthwaite opened the Hongkong attack to Stokes and Bidwell. Disaster came early for Shanghai when Bidwell was clean bowled by Garthwaite before any runs appeared on the score board.

Humphreys joined Stokes but was never comfortable and after scoring eight was caught by Garthwaite off Ricketts. The score was then 32. Stokes was scoring rapidly from shots all round the wicket. None of the bowlers seemed to give him much trouble.

Minu and Ricketts were brought on in place of Garthwaite and Pereira, and the double change was instantly successful. Ricketts lured Kermant out to a ball that broke sharply and Dunkley whipped the balls off before he could re-gain his crease. Kermant, who created a record second wicket partnership with Stokes in his first innings, had made only 1. Three wickets had now fallen for 37 runs.

Trances, powerful hitter of the Shanghai team fell a victim to Pearce when he had made three. He was caught by Williams.

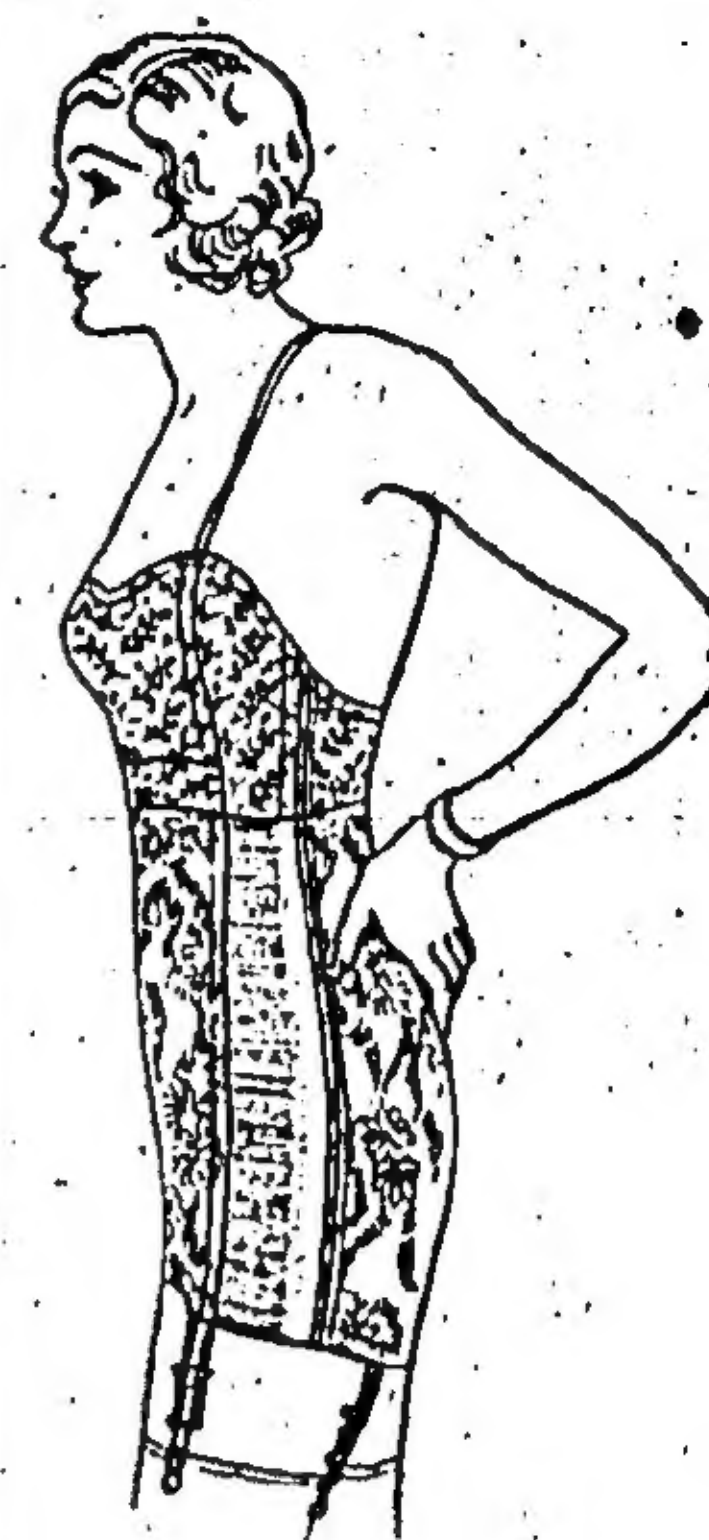
The fifty was raised in 60 minutes and at 51 Pereira was brought back to the crease. Stokes lifted a fast in-swinging towards Williams, holding near the tapes, but the chance was dropped.

Barson who had joined Stokes kept his end up well, letting his forceful partner do most of the scoring. The pair were together when stumps were drawn, Stokes being 44 and Barson 0. Dunkley had allowed four sundries.



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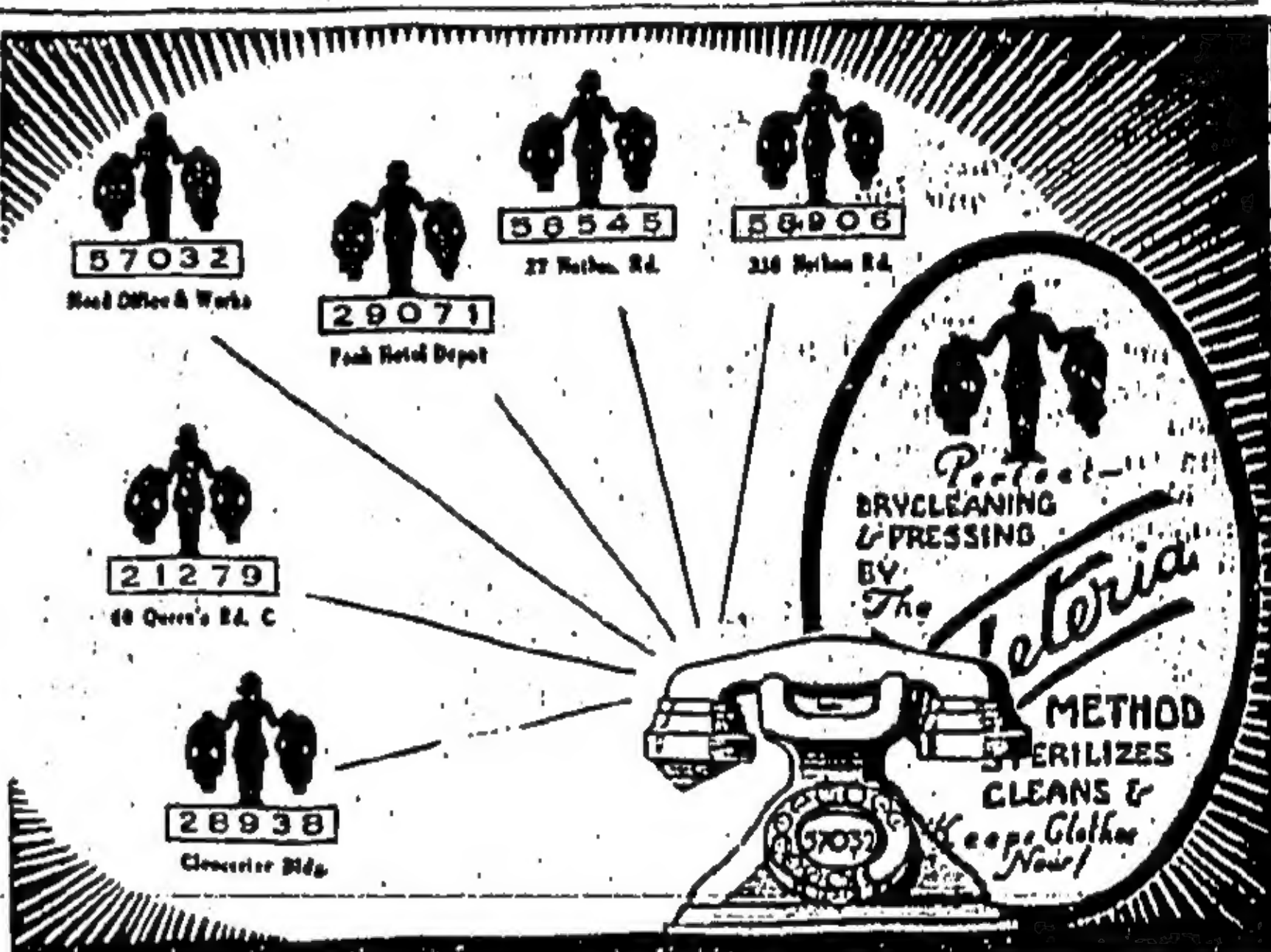


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# BEACH CLUB GIRL

By MABEL McELLIOTT

## CHAPTER XXXVIII

The routine of the shop began again. Hurry, hurry, hurry. Hurry to the street car, to the time clock, to the washroom. Hurry to lunch, hurry back. Boots' 10th birthday passed most without notice. If she paused to think about the day at all it was to reflect that she felt at least 10 years older.

Occasionally she saw Denis. These were the bright spots in her life. Denis was working hard on the book. He gave himself a daily stint and kept to it religiously. And there were, of course, parties to distract him. So it was only a rare glimpse of his charming life that Boots observed. Now and then he spoke fleetingly of Kay. She was going to be something or other in the Beaux Arts Pageant. Faywin was going to paint her. Faywin thought her exquisite. Or Kay was flashing off to Paris for a brief business trip. "She's a tremendously clever business person. You'd never suspect it," Denis said innocently. Boots saw her name in the social lists. Miss Kathleen Chillingford. "Kay Chillingford swished into the Stork Club the other night, very oo-la-la in a black net straight from the Rue de la Paix," wrote Willy Van Seydam in the Evening Streamer. Yes, Kay had a foot in both worlds. She was a success in business and a social light as well. It was merely because of this that Boots envied her. She assured herself of this fact a dozen times a day.

The Christmas rush was in full force now. The store was a nightmare of hurried clerks and frantic shoppers, ragged lists clutched in gloved fingertips. Extra clerks were hired; new stock was crowded in. You ran from one place to another like a driven thing.

Christmas came. The day was a ghastly one for Boots. She had bought a scarf and some gloves and sent them to her mother. Until the very last moment she had an exultant hope that her father would send for her, would ask her to come home for the holiday dinner. But he didn't. Mrs. Mooney looked in upon her about 12 on her way to "late church."

"We're having a turkey," she said robustly. "Ye must come and help us eat it."

It was so kind of her, Boots said, but she was going to dine with some friends in Pelham. She told the lie heavily. Not even Mrs. Mooney should pity her.

After Mrs. Mooney had departed Boots dressed hastily with only a casual glance at herself in the mirror. If she had ever been thought pretty, she decided she certainly had lost any claim to that distinction now. The delicate oval of her face was transparently pale; her eyes were ringed by shadows.

## CINEMA NEWS

### NOTES FROM THE THEATRES

"Working with Wallace Beery is like going to a circus. I enjoyed every minute of it!" Fay Wray, strangely tiny for a girl who has undergone so many horrible adventures for the screen, smiled reminiscently. "He's like a bug overgrown boy, playing tricks on the others in the cast and making a joke out of everything. You have to work with him in an intense scene to realize that underneath the fun there's an earnestness that is almost fanatic." Beery and Miss Wray are teamed for the first time in their respective careers in "Viva Villa!" Metro-Goldwyn-Mayer's spectacular story of the tempestuous life and loves of Pancho Villa, war lord of Mexico. The photoplay is on the screen of the Queen's Theatre. Miss Wray, of course, is cast as the luckless heroine who defies Villa's determined amours—and pays for her defiance. It is one of the strongest roles she has portrayed on the screen. "But for a girl who has been chased by cannibals and giant apes and all sorts of monsters," she laughed, "Pancho Villa wasn't so bad, after all." "Viva Villa!" is one of the most powerful stories that has reached the screen in many a day. Telling a fictional tale of the stormy life of the poor slave who rose to grandeur and liberated the poor, it gives Beery his greatest opportunity. He marches through the story, a conquering hero, humbled only when he falls in love. With Beery and Miss Wray is a notable cast including Leo Carrillo, Donald Cook, Stuart Erwin, Katherine De Mille, David Durand, Frank Puglia, Francis X. Bushman, J. P. Adair, Rosley and Henry Armetta.

### "The Tenderfoot"

Joe E. Brown has added a new accomplishment to his list, that of rolling a cigarette with one hand. As a run-of-the-mill ranchman from Texas in the First National production, "The Tenderfoot," which is showing at the Alhambra Theatre to-day, he is compelled to roll a cigarette in the fashion of the wild and woolly West. As Joe doesn't smoke, he never learned to roll. "I'm with two hands, I tell you one. So he had to spend several hours every evening for a week packing Bull Durham in papers. He mastered the art so that it was possible in the picture, but he swears that the next financial report will show a big increase in the sale of cigarette tobacco."

### "Mandalay"

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She went out into the show-spectacular streets. Church bells were ringing all along the way and she hurriedly hurrying groups of people, bundle laden. It seemed to her that she was, in all the big, strangely quiet city, the only person quite alone.

She wandered aimlessly over to Fifth Avenue, a slim figure in her dark blue coat, the fur collar pulled up snugly about her face. She would have a brief walk, she told herself. Later she would dine frantically at that little French restaurant near 10th street. She could not quite keep the tears from coming to her eyes. It was dreadful, dreadful to be alone in New York on Christmas Day.

And Denis who might have called... might have looked for her... had forgotten her. Not even a card.

She squared her shoulders resolutely, facing the wind. The big car which had been traveling slowly near the curb drew up with a whine of brakes. She heard her name called in loud, cheerful tones. "Mrs. Lund!"

Wheeling, she faced the pleasant brown face, the sturdy figure of Edward Van Seiver, muffled in a great coonskin coat.

"I thought it was you," he said with his big, boyish laugh. "I couldn't quite be sure. What luck! I was feeling forlorn as a stray pup, barking along. Then I saw you and I wasn't quite sure."

He was urging her gently toward the car as he spoke, his big, gloved hand under her elbow. Boots protested faintly.

"Ah, but you must come along and have some chow with me," the young man stated firmly. "It would be a Christmas act. I was just about to take my threat out and cut it. I was so awed."

His family, he said, was still away. He had refused half a dozen invitations for one reason or another. Now, on the great day, he was quite alone.

"But Denis..." Boots began casually.

"He's at a house party up near Times with Kay Chillingford and some people," Edward told her. Her heart plunged sickeningly. It was nothing to her, she reminded herself sternly. If Denis spent all his time with Kay these days, hadn't she known ages ago that he was in love with Kay? She, Boots, was the nearest acquaintance Denis had. He had sworn never to love another man. What Denis did was no earthly affair of hers.

Presently she found herself opposite Edward in a big, dim, softly lit restaurant with famous murals on the walls, with the traffic of Park Avenue shipping sedately below them. Edward selected, consulted, hesitated, hesitated. He was a pleasant person to be with, Boots thought gratefully. She could pretend for a little while that she was really the old Boots Rae-

burn of Larchneck, not the meek, weary clerk of the chintzes at Lacy's.

She had not realized she was so hungry. Everything tasted delicious. Edward was the sort of young man who expects and gets perfect service. He was solicitous for her comfort. Would she like a footstool? Was that salad dressing to her liking? His father mixed a salad dressing like no other.

"It all tastes marvellous to me," Boots told him. "My regular haunt is the Coffee Pot."

Edward gave a great shout at this ingenious revelation. "It is not," "Oh, but I assure you, it is. I'm a working woman, you know."

"No, but seriously," he protested, squaring about and facing her. "You have family up in Westchester, haven't you? What are you doing, proving you can earn your own living? Come clean, my lass."

"I eloped," she told him, seriously. "They're awfully awfully mad at me."

In spite of herself, her voice thickened and blurred, and the traitorous tears threatened to come.

"Husband dead, eh? Denis told me," muttered Edward, made uncomfortable by her show of emotion. She nodded.

"Now let's not talk about me. It's Christmas Day, and you're giving me a grand party and I cry on your shoulder. That's not fair."

She could not talk of Denis to him—or to anyone.

Her companion, who was kind and for the change in atmosphere, began willingly enough to describe his activities. He'd been skating a lot, but on the Island, he told her. They had a big freeze the week before. It was grand sport. Did she ski, he wanted to know. He was going to Lake Placid later for the winter sports. Perhaps she could come.

Kay would be at the Tappans for one week-end, at least. And perhaps Denis. Why couldn't she come up, too? Elise Tappen was his cousin. She must meet Elise.

Boots liked all this. Of course she wouldn't be asked to the Tappans. Of course she wouldn't see Placid. Still it was fun to be with Edward Van Seiver and listen to his enthusiastic planning.

"That is, I suppose Denis and Kay will be there," Edward interpolated. "Unless they're married before that. In that case it'll probably be Bermuda."

Boots scarcely heard the rest. Her head was swimming. Her heart had taken one sickening plunge. So it was as close as that, was it? Denis and Kay!

Well, it served her right for letting herself think of Denis for a single minute. She had no dignity, no integrity. She had been Russ's wife a few months ago. Now, with a shock, she realized that already Denis mattered in her life.

(To Be Continued.)



### How Old Is She?

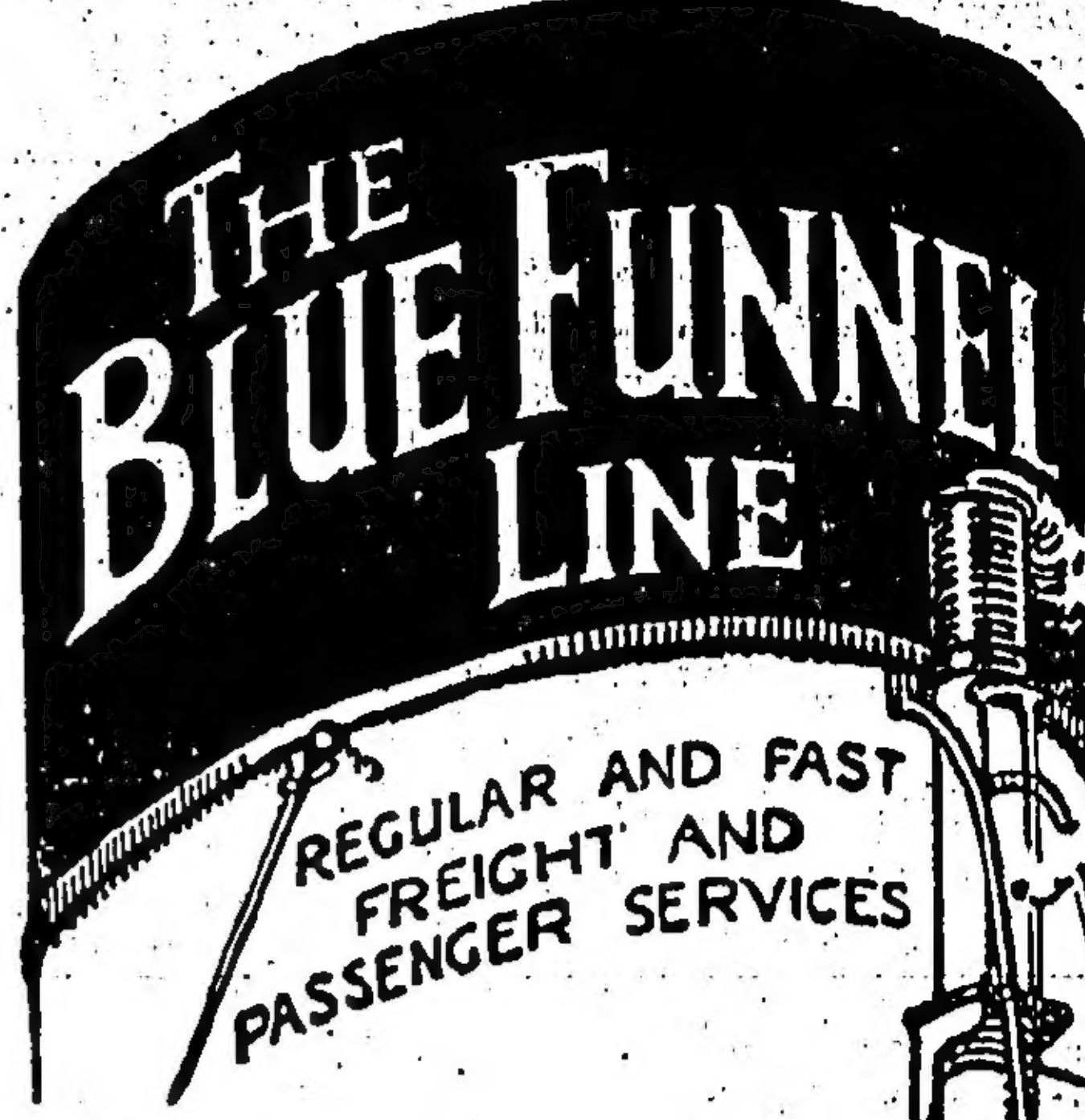
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Q 10 8 6	7 5 4 2
9 7	Q 4 3
A K 3	10 7 2
Q 7 3 2	K 8 4
3	A K J
K J 10 5	A 8 3
5	J 9 6
Q 8 6 4	A 10 5
J 10 9	

There is nothing difficult in today's hand except the timing factor. The hand has to be timed properly. If you pull two rounds of trump, you are through, and your contract can be defeated.

### The Play

Let's look over the play of the hand. The jack of clubs is opened and a small club played from dummy. The declarer winning with the ace. Now suppose you pull two rounds of trump and then lead the ace and another heart.

East will gather in the second heart trick with the queen and return a spade. Now you will only have one trump left in each hand. You ruff a heart with the remaining trump in dummy and you still have two clubs to lose and a diamond.

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Q 5 4 3	7
J 6 5 2	10 8 4
A Q 7	9
8 6	3 2
A K Q 10	N
9 8 3	W
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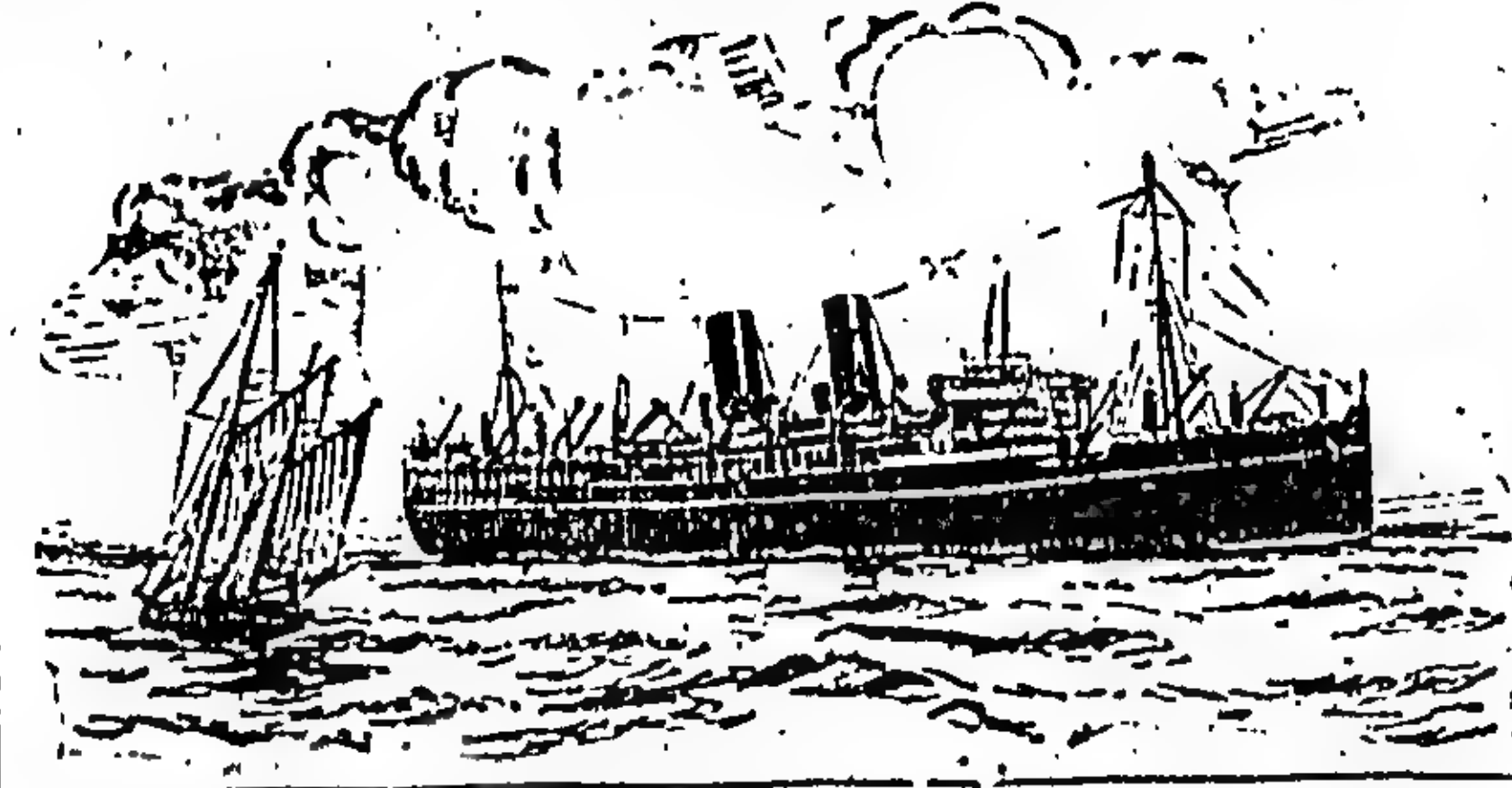


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### PANCHEN LAMA'S ENVOY PASSES THROUGH

In a room at the St. Francis Hotel, the Anchin Hu Tuk-tu, personal envoy of the Panchen Lama one-time spiritual ruler of Tibet and since 1924 an exile in China, is dividing his time between praying and giving interviews to Buddhists.

Accompanied by a retinue of other Tibetan leaders, Anchin Rimpoche, as he is otherwise known, arrived here early yesterday morning on the a.s. Conte Verde from Shanghai. He is on his way to Tibet to pave the way for the return of the Panchen Lama as Regent during the interregnum before the reincarnated Dalai Lama is found. The journey to Lhasa from Hongkong is to be resumed by way of Singapore, Penang, Calcutta, and Kulanbung. The party leaves here to-morrow on the Tilawa.

Amongst the first to call to pay their respects, were three sergeants of the Indian Hospital Corps, themselves Tibetans. They were found squatting cross-legged on the floor before a bed on which the Anchin Lama, a venerable figure in saffron robes, was similarly seated. They acted as interpreters in the interview.

### Public Opinion Sounded.

Asked as to the extent to which the Panchen Lama could now hope for success in the present negotiations for his return, the Anchin Lama said he would endeavour at Lhasa to ascertain public opinion on the matter; and, if that revealed a preponderance in favour of the exiled Lama, the latter would lose no time in according with its wish.

The present Mission, which included some who had travelled to and from quite a number of times since the Dalai Lama's death, would not be remaining at Lhasa long before returning with the Anchin Lama to Nan-king to report their efforts to the Chinese authorities.

Meanwhile, as far as humanly possible, Chinese officials are reported to be doing their best to compose the difficulties always existing between them and the Tibetan Government, and the installation of the Panchen Lama as Regent of Tibet, in op-

## VOLCANO AT SEA

### KUMSANG OFFICERS SEE AWE INSPIRING SIGHT

An awe-inspiring sight, witnessed by members of the crew of the Indo-China S. N. Company's steamer Kumsang, may provide the answer to the riddle of the mysterious disappearance of several small vessels off the coast of Japan.

When the Kumsang arrived in Hongkong yesterday, its officers told a remarkable story, substantiated by actual photographs of a terrific submarine eruption which occurred only nine miles from the ship, between the islands of Takesima and Iosima. Mr. J. Fant, Chief Officer of the Kumsang, who was on duty when the eruption took place, told the newspaper representative of the sensations experienced by those aboard the ship when they saw the sea suddenly erupt less than nine miles away.

"The incident occurred in the forenoon of September 28, when we were proceeding along the coast," said Mr. Fant.

The eruption was reminiscent of the shown in the film of the Krakatoa marine volcano in the Indian Ocean. The whole of the sea between Takesima and Iosima Islands seemed to be a mass of boiling water. "It was remarkable, especially in view of the fact that the water between the islands has a depth of 2,000 feet."

### Tidal Waves.

"The active area was between latitude 30.47 and 30.48, and between longitude 130.20 and 130.23. As the sea erupted it sent out tremendous tidal waves, the active leading edge travelling in a westerly direction at a speed of about three or four knots. The rear end of the eruption consisted of thick white and dense black clouds, which were belched from the surface of the water, and which seemed to reach for miles into the sky."

"Three water spouts, each about a hundred feet high, formed at the rear while the disturbance was under our observation."

"The outer sea, where we were travelling, was comparatively calm, but we didn't need binoculars to see how rough it was in the active area. As an indication of the extent of the eruption, I might mention that we noticed pieces of walrus bone from the eruption for twelve hours after we actually lost sight of it."

"I'd hate to have been in any ship travelling just between the two islands at the time," the Kumsang's Chief Officer concluded.

position to other factions, will be a great diplomatic feat if it can be achieved.

## NORTH V. SOUTH

### EMISSARIES TO NEGOTIATE

Canton, Oct. 11.

Considerable significance is attached to Dr. Wang Chung-hui's coming visit to Canton. Dr. Wang arrived in Hongkong from Shanghai this morning aboard the a.s. Conte Verde, and according to the opinion of a certain influential official here, Dr. Wang might submit to the Southern leaders some practicable overtures designed to bring the coming Fifth National Congress of the Kuomintang to a complete success.

Dr. Wang Chung-hui will confer with Mr. Hu Han-min at Hongkong, after which he will proceed to Canton.—Central News Agency.

### Arrived Yesterday.

Dr. Wang Chung-hui arrived by the Conte Verde from Shanghai yesterday morning.

Interviewed, Dr. Wang Chung-hui declined to disclose results of his peace negotiations with the Nanking officials, although he expressed an earnest desire for the unification of the South and North before the Fifth Kuomintang Plenary Congress.

Dr. Wang Chung-hui said that he would confer with Mr. Hu Han-min immediately and that he would visit Canton in the course of the next few days. He was undecided when he would return to his post as judge of the Permanent Court of International Justice at The Hague.

Dr. Wang was accompanied by his secretary, Mr. Sun, from Shanghai.

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### CHINA "CUMSHAW" CHARGES NOT YET PROVED

Nanking, Oct. 10.

According to a report received by the Waichiao-pu (Foreign Office) from the Chinese Legation at Washington, the State Department of the United States Government notified the Chinese Legation two days ago that the Nye Arms Committee was still searching for evidence regarding the allegation that certain Chinese officials received commissions in respect of arms purchases from the United States.—Central News Agency.

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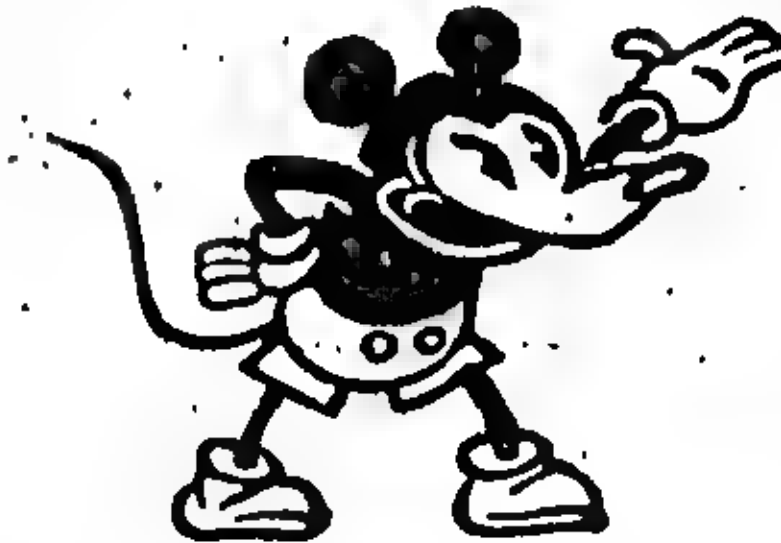
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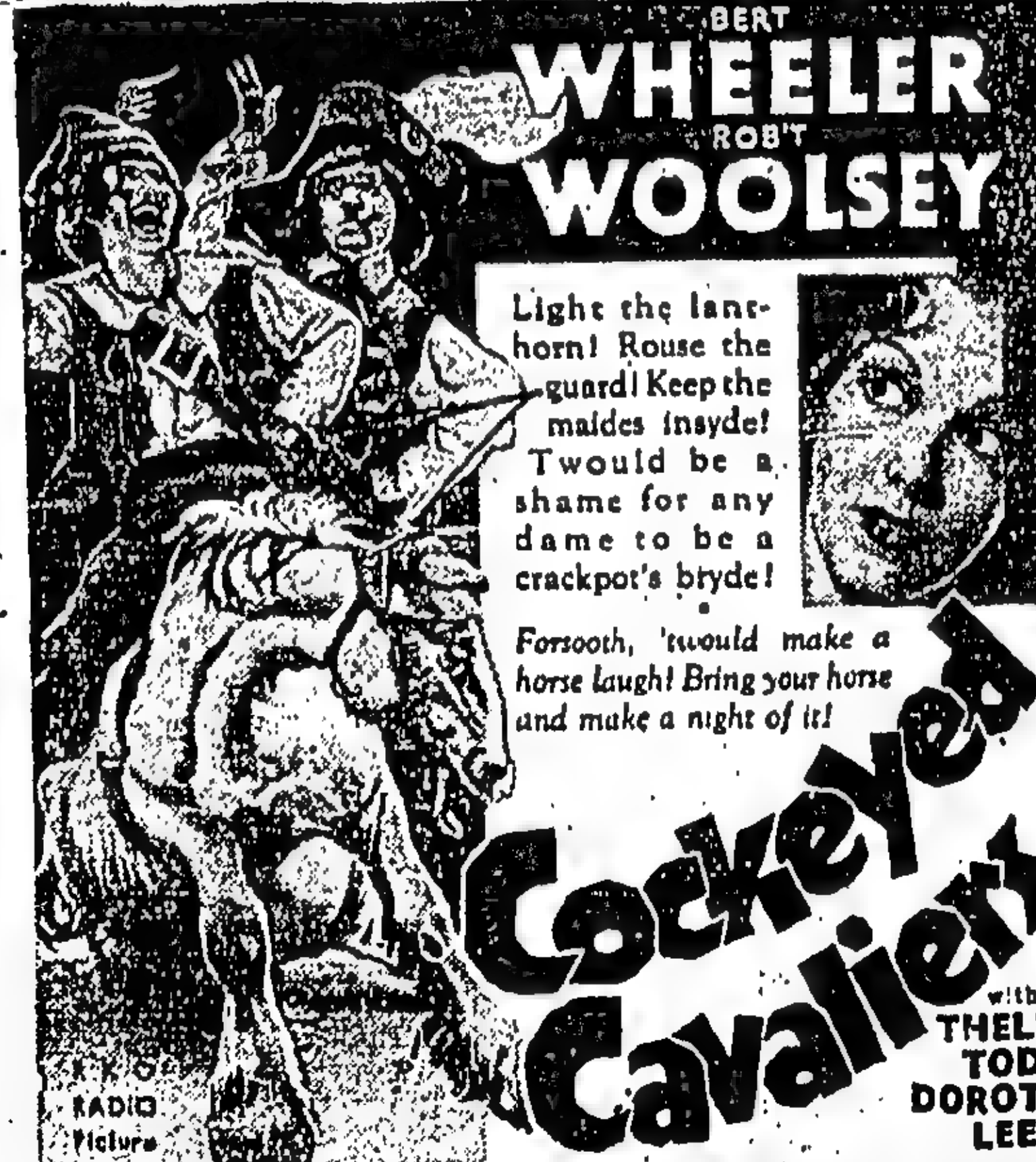
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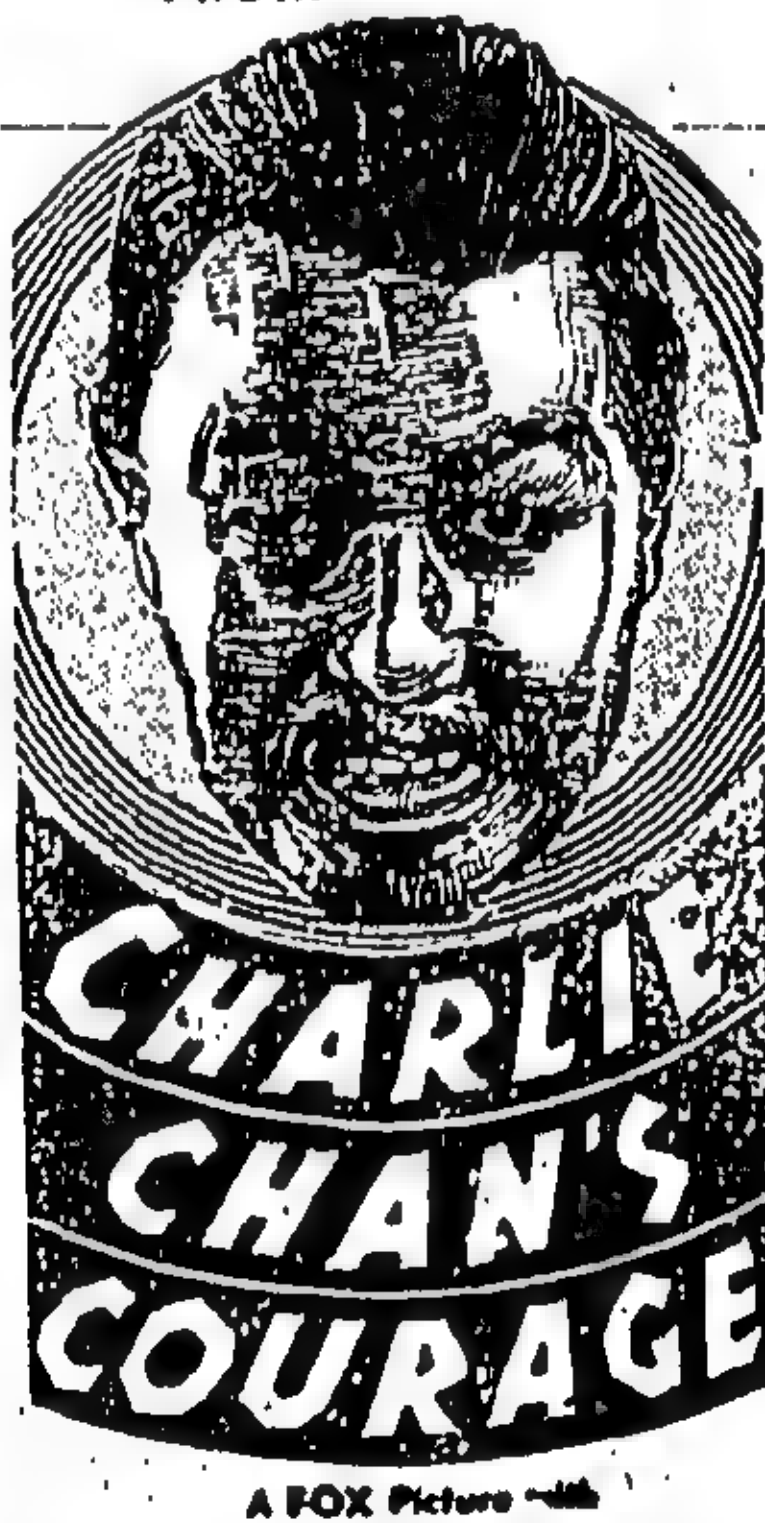
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# WILD SARAJEVO MOBS ATTACK KING'S ENEMIES

## SILVER HEADING FOR HIGH LEVEL

## AMERICAN BUYING LIKELY TO CONTINUE

### SHANGHAI'S MARKET EXCITEMENT

Shanghai, Oct. 12.

The rapid rise in silver prices has thrown the market here into a state of considerable excitement, with opinions varied as to the future trend of the white metal. The general belief, however, is that whilst there may be a temporary set-back, prices will continue to remain high.

It is recognised on all hands that heavy speculative buying and small supplies are responsible for the recent sustained advance in prices, with American buying not a serious factor latterly.

Although a reaction from last night's spectacular advance is expected, silver seems headed for higher prices still so long as the United States continues to carry out its silver purchase programme.

Whilst some quarters are doubtful regarding America's future policy, reports from the United States, based on political questions and the domestic situation, indicate a continuance of silver purchases. It is this circumstance which accounts for the belief that prices may be expected to advance even further still.—*Swan, Culbertson and Fritz.*

NO U.S. BUYING.

Yesterday's sensational rise in silver on the London Market is partially reflected in the Hongkong dollar quotation this morning, which rose a halfpenny to 1s. 8d. This is the highest rate quoted for the past five years. Silver rose in London to 24½ for the spot quotation, an advance of no less than 1½/8d., whilst the forward quotation rose 1½/16d. to 24½/8d. The advance was due to large speculative buying and short supplies. China sold at the advance, and the market closed uncertain.

There were no signs of American buying on the London market yesterday, and it is presumed that speculators bought in order to forestall official American purchases, as there was no news to cause the rush of buying. China and India speculators were especially prominent. Some quarters in London regard the market as dangerous.

HONGKONG MARKET.

The extent of the silver rise surprised banking and exchange circles this morning. Inter-bank business was done at about 1s. 8½d.

The market was on the uncertain side, but there appeared to be no signs of marked weakness. Shanghai is slightly easier this morning, due largely to profit-taking.

INDIA BUYING.

Later in the morning, inter-bank business was done in the Hongkong market at 1s. 8½/8d., and gold dollars at 42. Selling rates were 1s. 8½/32d. and 41½/8.

The silver advance is now definitely attributed to the activity of India speculators. Bombay silver rose two rupees per hundred dollars yesterday.

Whilst there were indications this morning of speculators covering, the local market were quite a steady appearance during the course of the morning, and the opinion was expressed in bullion broking circles that higher rates might be witnessed.

EFFECT IN NEW YORK.

Yesterday's silver prices constituted a new high record both in London and New York for the past five years. This was a factor in causing a decided upward trend on the New York stock market. There was a rush yesterday on the New York market to buy silver issues.

The Wall Street Journal, in referring to hints of further devaluation of the dollar, says there are rumours that the next session of Congress will see the elimination of the present 50 per cent. devaluation.

## BIRTH-PLACE OF WAR AGAIN SEES VIOLENCE

### YUGO-SLAVIAN CRISIS AHEAD

#### Cabinet Offers Resignation

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Belgrade, Oct. 11.

While King Peter and his mother, Queen Marie of Yugoslavia, and his grandmother, Queen Marie of Rumania, are speeding towards Belgrade from Paris, the country is preparing for a political crisis.

The Cabinet resigned to-day, though this was merely ceremony, and was immediately requested by the Regent, Prince Paul, to continue in office. The real crisis will come when the Cabinet resigns after the funeral and a new Government must be formed.—*United Press.*

## SINCLAIR'S STAR RIDES HIGH IN U.S.

### McADOO THINKS CHANCES GOOD

#### ELECTIONS NEAR

(Special to "Telegraph")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1891. Received, October 12, 10.00 a.m.)

Washington, Oct. 11.

Senator William G. McAdoo, of California, declared to-day that Mr. Upton Sinclair, nominee in the gubernatorial race in that state, has an excellent chance of being elected next month.

Democrats will probably vote for Mr. Sinclair.

Senator McAdoo himself has spoken in favour of the one-time teacher of socialism, whose political platform is made up of fragments of New Deal plans and some Utopian schemes of his own, and Senator McAdoo is one of the more strict of the Democrats.—*United Press.*

British Wireless.

## Anti-German Boycott

### BLOW STRUCK FOR TRADE UNIONS

#### AMERICAN MEASURES

San Francisco, Oct. 11.

The American Federation of Labour, completing its conference here, voted to-day for a continuance of the boycott against German manufactures. After discussing reports of conditions in Germany, it was asserted that German trade unionists were still oppressed by the administration, and Jews were still persecuted.

The decision of the Federation followed a plea on the part of Mr. William Green, President of the Federation, that the anti-German boycott campaign should be continued until "the tyrannical governments of Germany and Italy were wiped out."—*Reuter.*

## YUGO-SLAVIA'S TEMPER SHORT CATHEDRAL SUFFERS RIOTERS' FURY

### EXCITEMENT GROWS ON FRONTIER

(SPECIAL TO "TELEGRAPH")

(By Telegraph, Copyright, Telegraphic Message Ordinance, 1891. Received, Oct. 12, 10.58 a.m.)

Sarajevo, Oct. 11.

Demonstrations of a threatening nature broke out in this frontier city last night. This ancient capital of the Bosnian province, where the tinder of the last World War was lighted, re-echoed to the yells of mobs and the pounding of police patrols running to some threatened point for hours on end.

Police patrols throughout the city have since been strengthened.

Excitement is growing and the populace seems inclined to attack all the imagined enemies of the ruler whom they mourn, King Alexander, slain by assassins in Marseilles.

The rioters have attacked houses which failed to display a bunch of crepe as a sign of mourning for the King. They even attacked a Catholic Cathedral. Heavy damage has been reported from various parts of the city and no little vandalism.

POST OFFICE BOMBED.

A bomb exploded in the post office and demolished the interior, wounding only one person, however.

The demonstrators continued their wild behaviour late into the night. One of the last acts of the mobs was the smashing of windows and wrecking of the interiors of shops which failed to display the sign of mourning for King Alexander.—*United Press.*

## AIR SERVICES DELAYED

### SHANGHAI-CANTON LINK RENEWAL

Shanghai, Oct. 12.

An official of the Chinese National Aviation Corporation declared that the resumption of the Shanghai-Canton air mail service would be postponed until early next month because certain service facilities have not been completed.—*Central News.*

## SARRAUT QUILTS CABINET

### FRENCH POLITICAL SHAKE-UP

#### ASSASSINATION SEQUEL

### KING PETER ON WAY HOME

Paris, Oct. 11.

M. Albert Sarraut, French Minister of the Interior, has resigned, under pressure of criticism which has reached a climax following the assassination of King Alexander and M. Barthou, the French Foreign Minister, in Marseilles.

At the same time, the chief of the Surete Nationale, the Prefect Bouche Durhone, is under suspension.

When King Peter, the young ruler of Yugoslavia, and his mother, Queen Marie, left Paris at 9.15 for Belgrade, the most extravagant precautions were taken by the authorities.

#### FRIENDLY GESTURE.

M. Lohr and other members of the Cabinet were at the station to express the nation's parting wish for continued friendship and good-will.

A large crowd, solemn and silent, gathered at the station, but was rigidly excluded from the neighbourhood of the royal train. Strong police guards were stationed everywhere.

A detachment of motor-cycle policemen surrounded the car which brought the King and Queen from their hotel to the train, and additional escorts waited to march with them through the station.—*Reuter.*

#### RESIGNATION ACCEPTED.

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Paris, Oct. 11.

The resignation of M. Sarraut from his post as Minister of the Interior has been accepted.

His resignation was prompted by the popular indignation against the Ministry for alleged failure to sufficiently protect King Alexander and M. Barthou in Marseilles.—*United Press.*

#### ATTENDING FUNERAL.

London, Oct. 11. The Foreign Secretary, Sir John Simon, will represent His Majesty's Government at the funeral of Monsiour Louis Barthelemy, on Saturday, October 13.

## SHANGHAI ALL OUT FOR 188



Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, who has already won 174 races this season, his latest achievement being 10 winners from 14 mounts.

## Richards Sets New Record

### TEN WINS FROM FOURTEEN RIDES

#### SEVEN FIRSTS IN A ROW

(Special to "Telegraph")

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London, Oct. 11.

At the Chertsey races, Gordon Richards, the champion jockey, is having another amazing run of fortune. He has just broken another record.

He rode seven winners, three seconds in eleven mounts, all his winners being consecutive.

He also won the last three races consecutively at Nottingham races, giving him a record of ten wins out of fourteen starts.

Richards has already ridden 173 winners this season.

Last year, it will be recalled, Richards broke the longstanding record of Jockey Archer, who rode 246 winners in one season.—*Reuter Special.*

## SHIP AFIRE NEAR SUEZ

### Canal Tugs To The Rescue

#### EXPLOSIVES ABOARD

Port Said, Oct. 11.

The Dutch steamer *Zuiderkerk*, bound from Hamburg to Yokohama, is afire.

Fire broke out in her cargo when she was passing Suez. Canal tugs immediately rushed to her assistance and between them, aided by the ship's pumps, they were making satisfactory progress against the fire.

The vessel carries a large quantity of explosives, but the magazine where this cargo is stored has been flooded.—*Reuter.*

The *Zuiderkerk* is a vessel of 8,427 tons registered, built in 1922 in Holland for the Vereenigde Nederlandsche Scheepvaart.

Banished for ten years in 1933, Shok Yau was sentenced to 12 months' hard labour by Mr. W. M. Thomson at the Central Magistracy this morning for returning from banishment.

## COLONY'S TASK IN INTERPORT

### H.K. NEEDS 373 FOR VICTORY

#### FIELDERS GIVE MANY "LIVES"

Shanghai, Oct. 12.

When the last Shanghai wicket fell a little before the tiffin adjournment this morning, Hongkong were faced with the task of scoring 373 to win the cricket Interport. At the lunch interval they had scored three without loss.

Shanghai played a keen attack quite comfortably when they resumed their second innings to-day, and carried their overnight score of 60 for 4 to 188 all out. Hongkong's fielding was only fair.

L. F. Stokes, whose batting has the outstanding feature of the match, added only six runs to his overnight score of 44 before losing his wicket this morning.

He faced the opening bowling of Pereira and Minu, the I.R.C. trundlers, and in Pereira's first over gave a very difficult chance to McInnes which was not accepted.

#### AGGRESSIVE INNINGS.

Stokes reached his half century after 25 minutes of fine batting, but without adding to it, was caught by Pereira at backward point off Minu.

The fifth wicket fell at 73, and Stokes, who had batted in a very aggressive manner, studied an enterprising innings with seven boundary hits.

After their Pereira was replaced by Ricketts, who, with his first ball lured Barson into offering a chance in the slips, but again a "life" was allowed.

However, Barson was again tempted with Ricketts' second ball, and he placed it in the safe hands of Dunkley, Barson scored 16, and the sixth wicket fell at 91.

Marshall, who had been batting steadily put Minu away to the boundary to register the 100 in 115 minutes, and T. A. Pearce then relieved Minu.

#### THE TAIL WAGS.

Donald Lench stayed long enough to collect a useful 25 and was clean bowled by Ricketts, the seventh wicket going at 126.

Madur joined Marshall, and McInnes replaced Pearce, but after two expensive overs was relieved by Minu. The score then was 140 for 7, Marshall being not out 26 and Madur not out 3.

A further 48 runs were added before Shanghai were finally dismissed for 188, leaving Hongkong to score 373 to win. At lunch the Colony had put three runs on the board without loss.

Mitchell, with 2, and Balnes, with 3, were the not out men at lunch in Hongkong's second innings. The wicket is playing easy.

Detailed scores, enabled by Reuter, are:

Shanghai—2nd Innings.  
Stokes, b. Minu ..... 50  
Bladwell, b. Garthwaite ..... 10  
Humphreys, c. Garthwaite ..... 8  
Ricketts ..... 1  
Kerman, st. Dunkley, b. Ricketts ..... 1  
Jassas, c. sub. b. Pearce ..... 1  
Madur, b. Minu ..... 6  
Barson, c. Dunkley, b. Ricketts ..... 16  
Leitch, b. Ricketts ..... 25  
Marshall, c. McInnes, b. Garthwaite ..... 50  
Jenkins, l.b.w., b. Pearce ..... 0  
Booth, not out ..... 0  
Extras ..... 12  
Total ..... 188

Howling Anya.  
Pereira ..... 0  
Garthwaite ..... 16  
Minu ..... 51  
Ricketts ..... 20  
Pearce ..... 2  
McInnes ..... 3  
Madur ..... 3  
Total ..... 95



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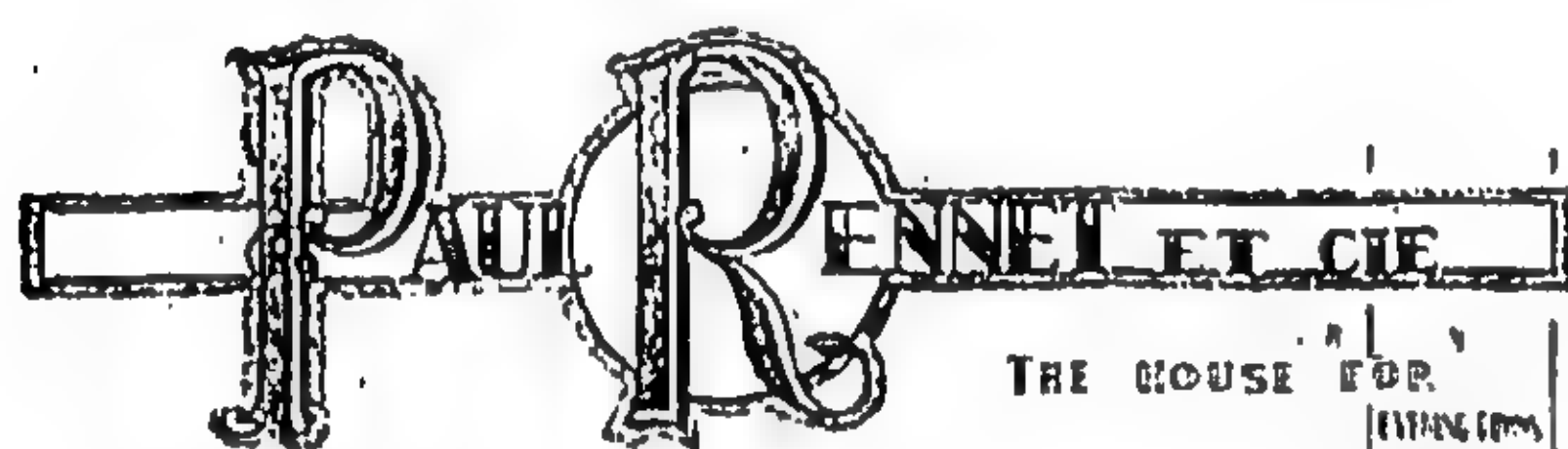
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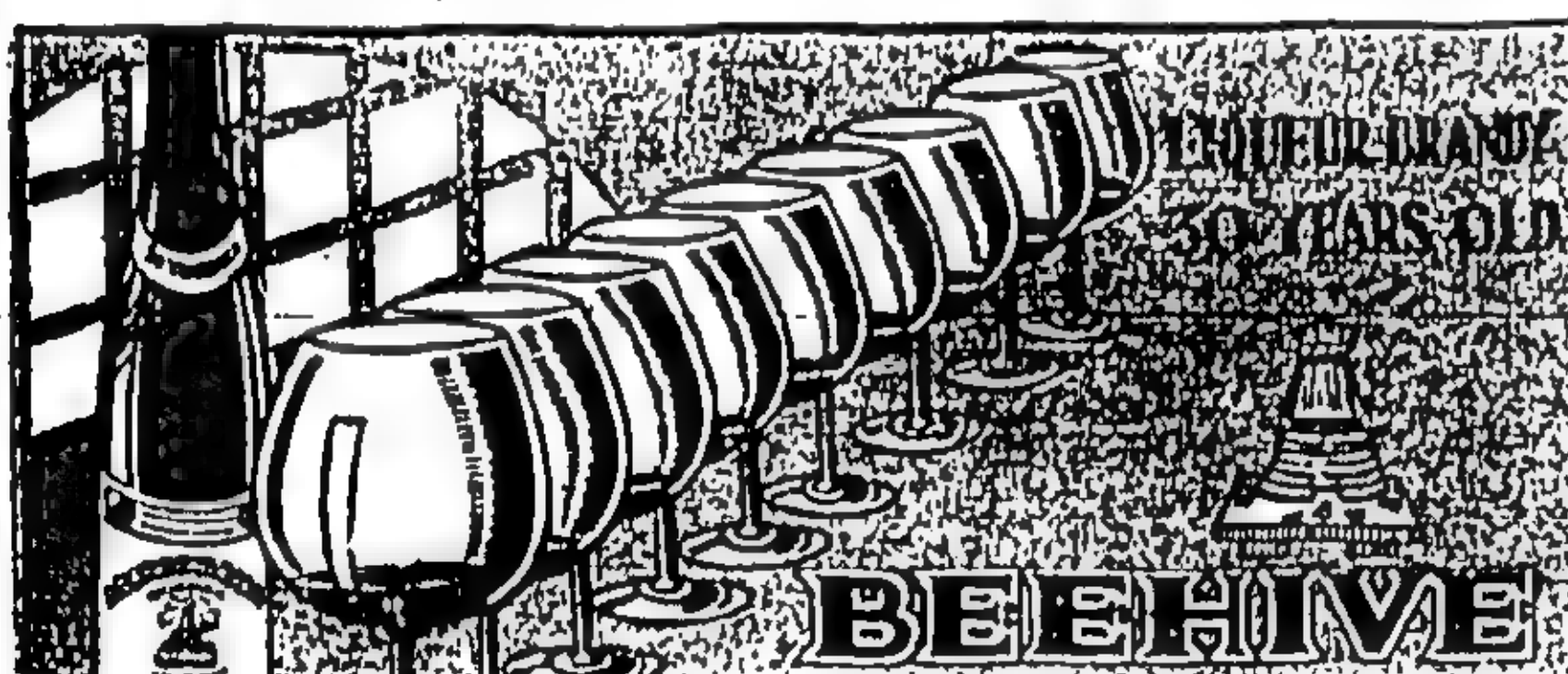
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## NAZIS' LABOUR BATTLE

### NEW ECONOMIC DICTATOR

#### HERR SCHACHT'S WIDE POWERS

Berlin, Oct. 5.  
Dr. Hjalmar Schacht, Nazi Ger-  
many's new economic dictator, is  
about to mobilize all economic  
resources of the country to meet  
a more and more menacing situa-  
tion.

The power concentrated in his  
hands is tremendous. As Presi-  
dent of the Reichsbank, he may  
authorize or forbid any payment  
by Germans in foreign currency,  
whether destined to finance new  
purchases or to meet matured  
bills. Moreover, as Minister of  
Economics, he can grant or refuse  
import permits; he can fix the  
quantities of any commodity im-  
ported to Germany; he can veto  
the erection of new plants or the  
closing-down of old ones.

He holds formidable means of  
coercion over individual employers.  
He may fine them for infraction  
of his raw-material decrees; he  
may also remove them if they fail  
to fall into line.

German industry now is organ-  
ized in a rigid, pyramid like  
hierarchy. The lowest stratum is  
formed by the workers. They are  
pledged to allegiance to their  
"leaders", namely, the employers.  
These latter, on the other hand,  
owe allegiance to the "leaders" of  
their particular branch of indus-  
try. Related branches are united  
under section leaders, who, in their  
turn, obey the "leader of the German  
industry". All these leaders and  
leaders of leaders, of course, bow  
to one man—the minister of  
economics, Dr. Hjalmar Schacht.  
Thus, German industry is organ-  
ized like one vast army. Every-  
one's position in this army is  
clearly defined.

#### NO PLAN.

However, many observers won-  
der where the army is going. A  
comprehensive plan, such as the  
five-year plan of the Soviets, does  
not exist in Germany.

Early after the Nazis' assump-  
tion of power there was much talk  
about social reform. Many Nazi  
experts then forecast the establish-  
ment of a completely new social  
system, "corporate society", re-  
placing capitalism.

Nazi reformers soon started to  
build up the corporate state.  
The reform, however, was carried  
through only in certain sections of  
society. Thus, farmers, land-  
owners, and all others engaged in  
food production, have been or-  
ganized in a vast national "cor-  
poration", the so-called "Nacht-  
stand".

In the field of industry, reform  
work was much less thorough.  
Labour unions were abolished, and  
labourers had to join a new  
national union, the Labour Front.  
But the Labour Front has nothing  
to do with the economic interests  
of the workers. Its activities are  
confined to organizing holiday  
cruises, theatrical performances,  
and recreation for workers.

As to labour conditions, work-  
ing hours and wages, the Nazis  
simply retained the collective  
agreements established under the  
republican regime. While the  
whole political edifice of the  
Weimar republic had crumbled,  
its social legislation survived. In  
this field, the Nazis merely con-  
tinue the work of the Weimar  
republic.

#### ONLY ONE CHANGE.

The only change they brought  
about in this connection lies in  
their different treatment of the  
unemployment problem. The Re-  
public adopted a rather passive  
attitude towards unemployment.  
It paid doles to the unemployed,

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sarily a one-piece garment in  
one material." Here is one  
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the new rich black velvet  
which is more supple than satin  
and in this model is cleverly  
worked in strips, the pile going  
alternate ways.

## NUDE BATHING RESTRICTED

### SPANISH OFFICIAL NOT PRUDISH

Alicante, Spain, Oct. 4.  
Men are more modest than wo-  
men as far as bathing suits are  
concerned, the Governor of Alicante  
Province said to-day when he  
issued an order prohibiting nude  
bathing on public beaches.

The order also prohibited bath-  
ing in "light apparel which covers  
only the indispensable parts of  
the body."

The governor pointed out that  
he was forced to issue the order  
even though it affects the male  
bathers "who are more careful of  
their modesty." But to prove that  
he was not prudish, he announced  
that certain areas distant from  
the public beaches will be set  
aside for nude bathing.—United  
Press.

and left them alone. The Nazis,  
however, mobilized the unemploy-  
ed. They gave them "jobs" at  
nominal wages (25 marks month-  
ly), or sent them from the cities  
to farms. Farmers were forced to  
engage new hands; they were not  
expected to pay them wages be-  
yond food and lodging, since the  
state continued to keep the new  
"farm hands" on the dole. How-  
ever, all those who were given  
work under such circumstances  
disappeared from the unemploy-  
ment statistics. They are regarded  
to all intents and purposes as  
"employed."

Many jobless are enjoying their  
new condition. At any rate, they  
do not have the oppressive feeling  
of being "loafers." Others, of  
course, are deeply and violently  
disgruntled at being obliged to  
work for almost nothing. But the  
general public, which does not  
know the exact conditions under  
which the newly employed are  
living, is hypnotized by the fall-  
ing figures of unemployment  
statistics. It applauds Hitler's  
victorious "labour battle", which  
is one of the main factors of his  
prestige.—United Press.

## FRENCH IMPERIAL CONFERENCE

### CLOSER LINK WITH COLONIES

#### M. LAVAL'S GREAT PROJECT

Paris, Oct. 9.  
In an effort to improve the  
economic conditions of France and  
her possessions in the midst of the  
present world crisis, Minister of  
Colonies, M. Pierre Laval has con-  
voked a colonial conference in  
Paris during November which  
promises to rival in world im-  
portance the Ottawa Conference of  
the British Empire nations.

Unlike the Ottawa sessions,  
however, the meeting in Paris will  
be strictly limited to industrial,  
commercial, economic, budgetary  
and customs questions which will  
be considered from the viewpoint  
of reciprocity within the confines  
of France's 4,680,000 square miles  
of colonial empire.

Determined that the work of the  
forthcoming conference shall not  
be held up by purely local or  
relatively unimportant issues, M.  
Laval has drafted a definite agenda  
to which the discussions must  
strictly adhere. Copies of this  
programme have already been sent  
to all Governors and Governor-  
Generals with instructions to com-  
pile statistics and data in accord-  
ance with this general outline.

The Minister of Colonies has  
been aided in this work by a special  
committee of colonial and econ-  
omic experts headed by M. C. J.  
Gignoux, former Under-Secretary  
of State for National Economy.  
This committee has been meeting  
four and five times a week during  
the past five months and has just  
now completed the bulk of the  
preparations.

#### AFRICAN PROBLEM.

Although it is understood that  
most of the agenda deals with the  
problems of Algeria, Tunisia, Moroc-  
co and Syria, the smaller posses-  
sions and protectorates will not be  
neglected. Even the mother-of-  
pearl and coconut industries of the  
French islands in the South Seas,  
the cultivation of rice in Indo-  
China and the raising of peanuts  
and production of vegetable oil in  
Senegal will come up for con-  
sideration.

Altogether it is estimated that  
the interests of some 100,000,000  
people will be represented at the  
November conference.

It is the theory of M. Laval and  
his experts that if the colonies  
agree to eliminate competition  
among themselves and to follow a  
vast inter-colonial plan, envisaging  
a rotation of crops to meet the  
empire's requirements, then colonial  
commerce might be doubled.  
To accomplish this, a fixed quota  
of production for a definite period  
of years may be decided upon.

For the first time in history  
the colonies had a favourable trade  
balance over France last year.  
They shipped to the mother-  
country more than France sold to  
them. One-third of France's  
foreign trade last year was with  
her colonies and, until world de-  
pression set in, the colonies were  
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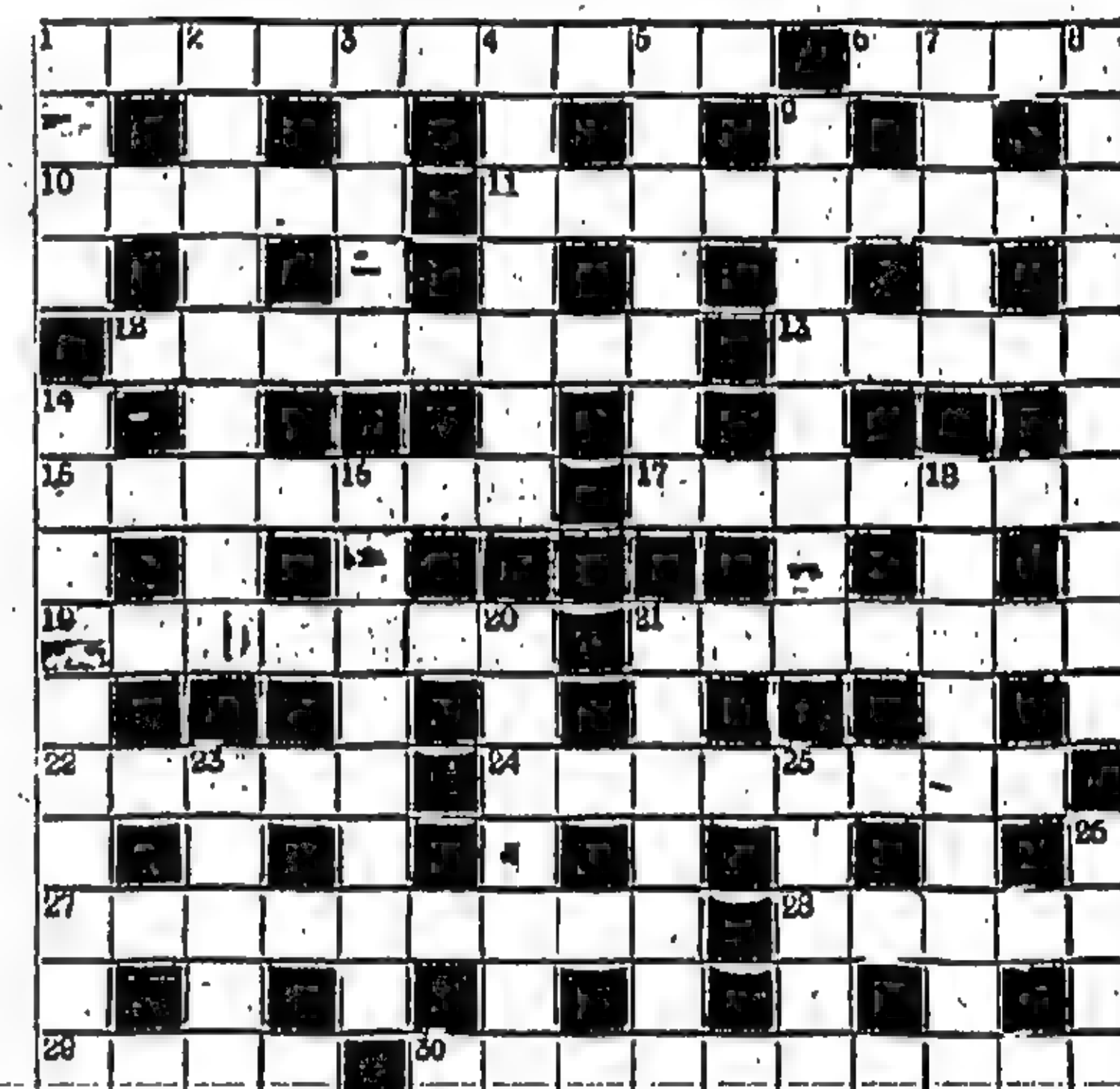
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in singcraft.
10. To find me confused in French  
is very funny when hundreds  
are about.
11. Anticipate.
12. Grow crops, clearly all for  
Mussolini.
13. Permit.
15. "Ten-tuna" of it (anag.).
17. Not being one the lost Clemen-  
tine.
19. We hear that the girl was in  
debt. In the coils. Alas alas!
21. Town.
22. Smoothing and cleaning agent.
24. How the face of Helen affected  
Greek ships.
27. In places where they bet I allow  
that women's frocks are to be  
found.
28. Free but if strife follows—well,  
look out for a plant.
29. It's in place here.
30. The grant I sent was for the  
provision of something harsh.

#### Down

1. Sailors dress the yards, but this,  
surely is the part of the ship  
to dress!
2. Evergreen shrubs.
8. Ran fast, started by a club.
4. Produces property.
6. Do steer from these boring little

posts; they are bad for the  
ship.

7. Fish.
8. The merit of this English nove-  
list is ingrained.
9. Tree shape.
14. I use bottle (anag.).
16. They serve in church.
18. The dwelling of one Mickey.
20. Expands.
21. Sometimes called a pug.
22. Exits not usable as they are.
25. Stop in the Colonies.
26. Shut up with a writer over sea.

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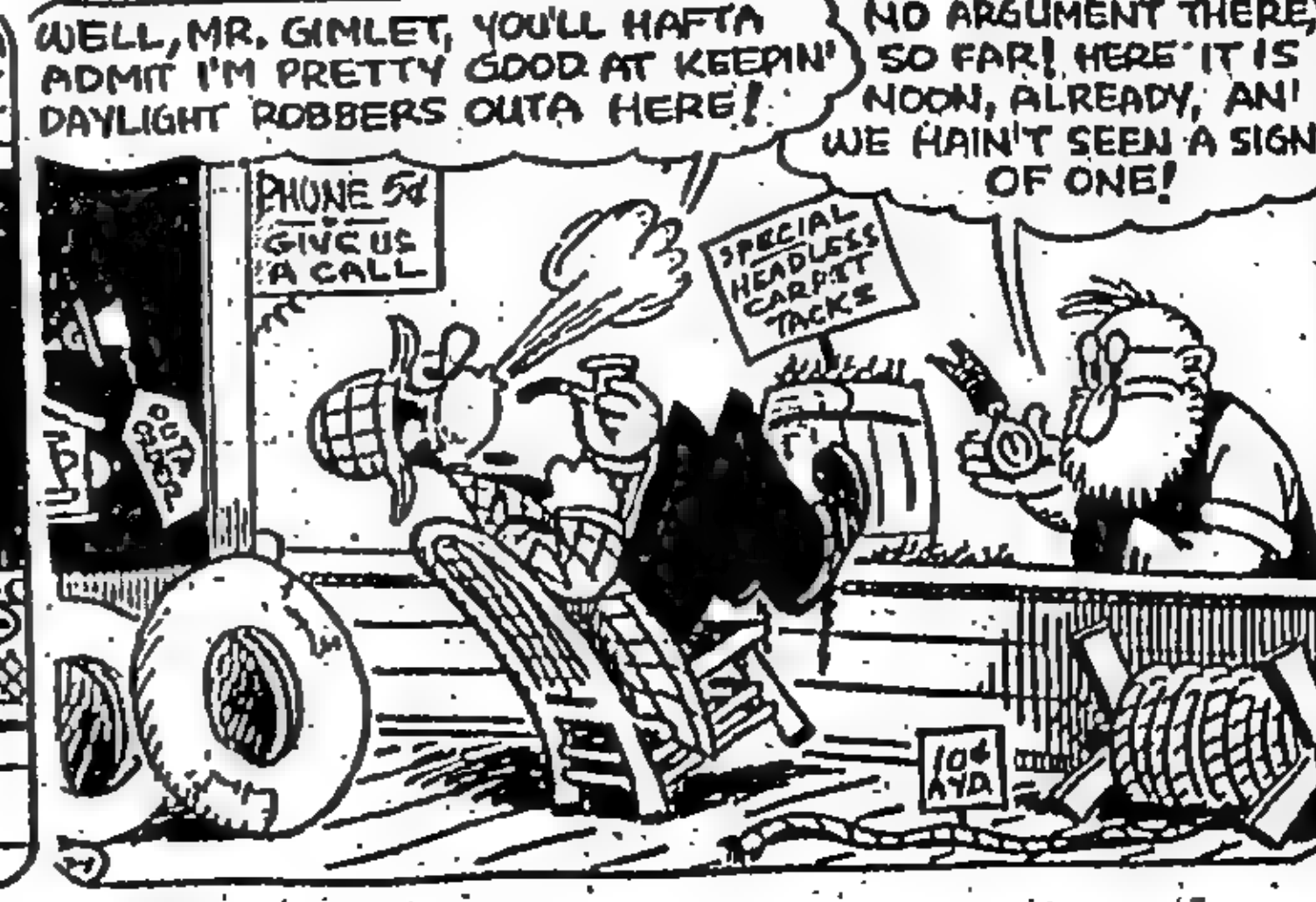
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## STRANGE MAIL FOR BISHOP

### CATERPILLAR DIES IN TRANSIT

#### POST OFFICE CRITICISED

The attention of the Post Office recently was drawn to the letter in *The Times* from the Bishop of St. Edmundsbury and Ipswich, relating to a caterpillar sent through the post.

The Post Office was not without literature on matters of entomology; there was the Post Office Guide for the purpose of reference. The idea that caterpillars or any other insects could not be transmitted successfully through the post was dismissed. Even men and boys, it was pointed out, can be carried at ordinary letter rates, and the department is prepared to carry the Loch Ness monster, if he is found, weighed and stamped—1½d. for the first two ounces and ½d. for every additional two ounces. But the fact was officially emphasized more than once that "regulations are regulations," and that the rules governing Post Office procedure are so comprehensive that they embrace even caterpillars, bees, and leeches.

#### BEES AND LEECHES.

The Bishop told in his letter how a correspondent sent him a caterpillar believed to be the larva of a rare species, and how he received through the post a flattened cardboard box and a letter from the Postal Service stating that the packet was observed during transit to be in a damaged condition. It was therefore forwarded to the Returned Letter Section and found to contain a small dead insect and a few dried leaves. "I have to point out," the letter continued, "that the transmission of any living creature (except bees and leeches)

## Italy's Great Experiment

### 'ONE-MAN CONTROL OF NATIONAL ACTIVITY'

#### CORPORATIVE STATE

Rome, Oct. 4.

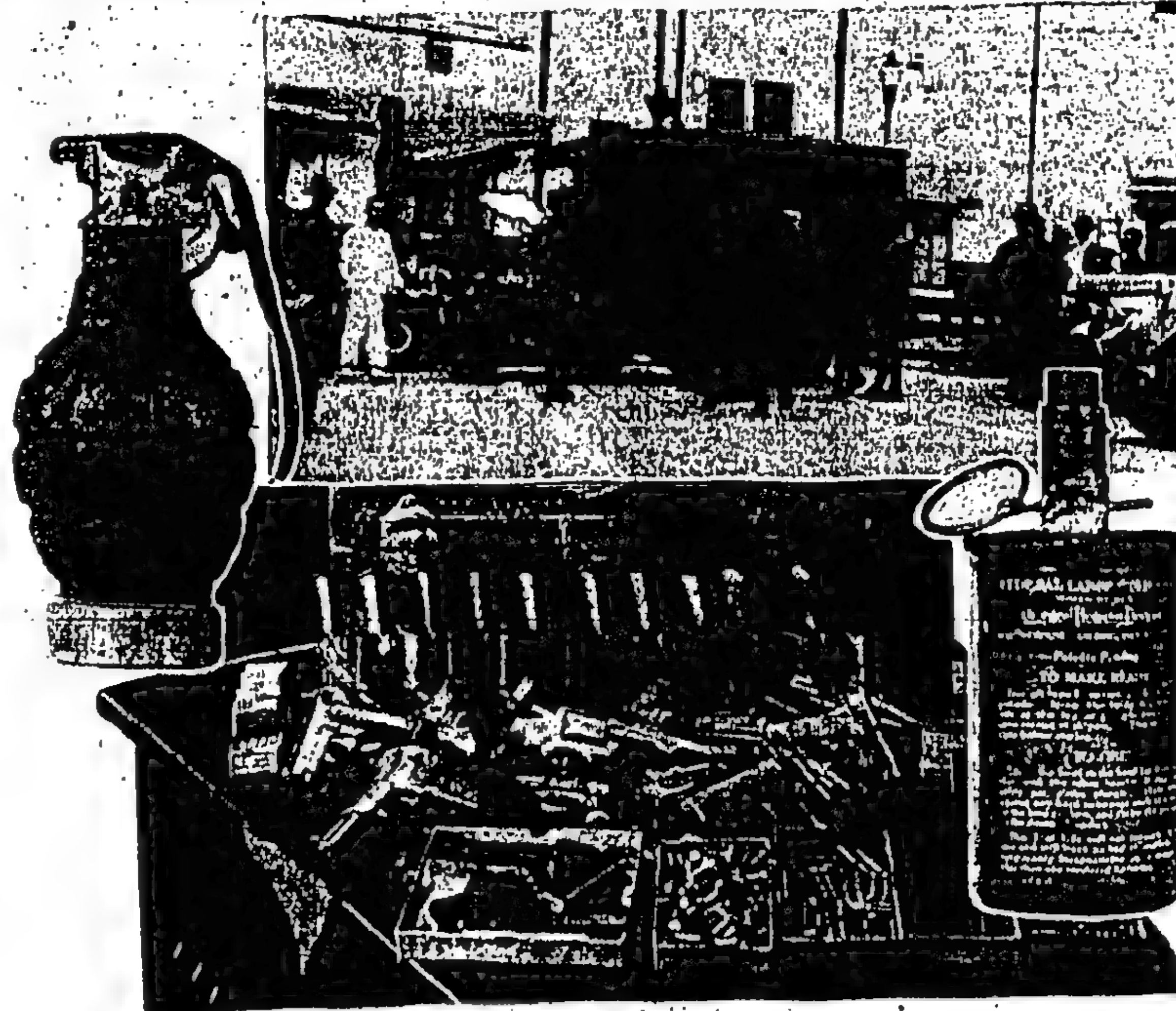
Premier Mussolini's pet dream, the corporative state, picturesquely defined by several observers as "an experiment in the one-man control of national activity," is expected to be in working order by October 28—the anniversary of the institution of the Fascist regime.

The Guild's Ministry, from which the complex plan will be run, is to cost about 79,000,000 lire a year, it is believed, and the various staffs concerned will number at least 6,000.

The twenty-two corporations which form the backbone of this State are officially defined as "bridges slung across the vertical lines of workers' syndicates and employers' federations" that already exist all over the country. Their task will be to work out the principle underlying the Corporative State, namely—State organization and control of economic forces.

These corporations will be composed of delegates from employers and employed as well as from intermediary "bread winners." All the delegates must be members of the Fascist party and of "unblemished political character," whose names the Duce himself has approved.

The twenty-two Corporations cover every conceivable form of work, production and output, including: Landowners and tenant farmers; Employers and employed



The importance of the arrests made by the Shanghai Settlement police when a group of ten alleged members of an assassination group were taken from the District Court to Police Headquarters under escort, is shown by the heavy armed guard which was attached to the prison van. Upper photo shows a section of the police escort in the Municipal compound after the prisoners had been locked in the van. Lower photo shows the 27 pistols and ammunition seized during the raids which led to the arrest of the ten prisoners. At upper left is the Mills bomb seized with the pistols and lower left photo shows another highly dangerous gas bomb, also found in the Rue Ratard raid.

## WHAT FLAG TO FLY?

### PRINCESS MARINA PRESENTS POSER

London, Oct. 7.

British officialdom is in a quandary as to what flag to fly when

Greek republic.

Neither would the Russian eagle, or even the Hammer and Sickle of the Soviets do, although they might be taken to represent Marina's Russian ancestry.

She has connections with the Danish royal house, and this is the flag that may be flown. It might, however, be decided to anticipate her nationality and fly the Union Jack.

Meanwhile, social London is busy preparing for the wedding. Hotel proprietors, caterers, dress-makers, tailors, florists and jewellers all anticipate big business in October and November, the month in which the marriage is scheduled. Some hotels have already received enquiries for accommodation during the wedding week.—*United Press.*

## MORE DRUNKEN DRIVERS

### PROHIBITIONIST BROADSIDE

Washington, Sept. 28.

One of the first major broadsides of the Prohibitionists since the repeal of the Dry Laws charged that arrests for drunkenness during the first three months of this year increased 31.68 per cent. over the corresponding period of 1933.

The report bristled with statistics and comparative analyses of figures compiled from the police blotters of 192 cities. It was issued by Mr. Deets Pickett, secretary of the Research and Education Department, Board of Temperance, Prohibition and Public Morals of the Methodist Episcopal Church.

He said that arrests for driving while drunk increased 14.96 per cent., but "strangely," arrests for

## EMERGENCY TRAINING

### PREPAREDNESS IN GERMANY

The Magdeburg-Anhalt district recently inaugurated the first training school for protection against natural catastrophes. In addition, the officials of the local labour organization have been entrusted with the task of instructing the leaders and sub-leaders of the Labour Service in matters pertaining to such protection.

In order to render the work done as efficient as possible, the former hunting lodge of Spitzberg near Dessau has been converted into a training school. The first course of instruction was attended by 25 leaders from 11 different districts. The subjects taught include: the fighting of forest fires and floods, and first aid in such catastrophes as landslides, explosions, conflagrations, railway accidents, the bursting of dams and dykes, damage resulting from hurricanes and cloud-bursts, etc.

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disorderly conduct decreased 4.21 per cent.

"There is an alarming increase in arrests for drunkenness in industrial communities; for instance, Coatesville, Pa., shows an increase of 700 per cent. for the four period and 1,100 per cent. for the repeal period," he continued.



Where the Congress of the Far Eastern Association of Tropical Medicine, met in Nanking, the new National Health Administration Building. The Congress ended on October 9.

by post except with the special permission of the Postmaster-General is prohibited." The departmental officials appeared to enjoy the humorous vein in which the Bishop replied to what was described as a "routine letter." But the Bishop's criticism of the postal regulations caused some resentment.

An official said: "We are anxious that the Post Office should be used in every way possible to give a definite service to the public. Bees and leeches are allowed to be sent by letter or parcel post because they are of commercial value. Leeches are used very largely by the medical profession, and it has been a common practice to transfer bees from one part of the country to another for the purpose of increasing or improving the stock on a bee farm. The Post Office also permits to be sent through the letter post articles for medical examination or analysis." The official quoted from the regulations, which state that deleterious liquids or substances, though otherwise prohibited from transmission by post, may be sent for medical examination or analysis to a recognized medical laboratory or institute, or to a medical practitioner or veterinary surgeon, by letter post—"on no account by parcel post"—but the liquid or substance must be enclosed in a receptacle hermetically sealed or otherwise securely closed. Live bees and leeches are allowed to pass by letter or parcel post on condition that they are sent in suitable cases and so packed as to avoid all risk of injury to officers of the Post Office or to other packets.

#### INSECTS BY PERMISSION.

"The caterpillar to which the Bishop refers," the official added, "was apparently sent in a thin cardboard box, which would obviously suffer damage under the load of ordinary packets placed in the same mail-bag. There have been cases where serious damage has been caused by packets which have not complied with the regulations. Permission may be obtained to send insects and other things. There

connected with all forms of industry; Trade, agricultural produce, mining, banking and insurance, sea, air and land transport, liberal professions, hawkers of newspapers, ice-cream, old clothes, rags and bottles, street musicians, door-keepers, commercial travellers, and so on.

Each man and woman who earns a living or draws income from property will be marshalled under, and pay dues to, a State-controlled organisation.

This colossal task of putting every worker in the proper category is so complicated that the make-up of the various organisations has been changed over and over again and the end, even now, is not yet in sight.

are arrangements in regard to live animals, which can be sent by express delivery if they are confined in a suitable receptacle. It has been a common thing for boys to be sent through the post. They go by letter rate, the charge being according to the weight of the boy. Recently a man posted himself in that way, and he was taken to the address by a telegraph messenger. If a man desired to be sent to a distant part of the country, he would be taken to the railway station, handed over by the postman to the charge of the guard, and at the man's destination he would be placed in the care of a postman, who would deliver him at the desired address.

"In the case of the caterpillar referred to in *The Times*, if it had been placed in a properly packed container, probably the Bishop would have received it. The Post Office is anxious to do everything it can to serve the public, and where it is desired to send any particular insect, or any number of live insects, other than bees and leeches, application should be made to the Post Office."

Princess Marina of Greece comes to stay in England.

The Princess is shortly paying an official visit to the King and Queen, the parents of her husband-to-be, Prince George. But Princess Marina has no country, and therefore no flag. It would not be tactful to fly the old Imperial blue and white Greek flag, because Britain has friendly relations with the



All ranks of the Shanghai Settlement Police joined in paying their last respects to Van Nyokhu, veteran Chinese detective of Louisa Station, who was shot down in the Lester Chinese Hospital in one of the most audacious crimes ever perpetrated in Shanghai. Above is shown a portion of the long funeral procession carrying banners which told of how a brave man died. Below—a group of high officials await the passing of the cortege. From left to right are shown: Deputy Commissioner R. C. Alers, Captain R. M. J. Maxwell, Extra Commissioner, Major F. W. Gerrard, Commissioner, Brig. Gen. E. B. Macnaghten, Vice-Chairman of the Council, and Assistant Commissioner T. M. Yao.

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Hongkong, 12th October, 1934.

## 21 YEARS AGO

### Extracts From the "Telegraph" Files

The following extracts are from the Hongkong Telegraph for the week ended October 11, 1913.

The rate of dollar on demand was 2/0 1/2.

Thanks to the efforts of "Our Comrades' Graves Association," the military cemetery at Stanley was cleaned up and the epitaphs on the gravestones re-lettered.

Mr. J. C. Finch won the Harbour Swim in the record time of 22 min. 26 sec., Mr. C. J. Cooke being second.

At the annual meeting of the Craigengower Cricket Club, the following officers were appointed:—President, Mr. W. D. Braidwood; Hon. Secretary, Mr. R. Bana; Hon. Treasurer, Mr. G. Rapp; Captain, Mr. L. A. Rose; Vice-Captain, Mr. E. L. Bragg; Committee, Dr. F. H. Kew, Messrs. R. A. Carvalho, W. Allen, H. H. Taylor, W. H. Viveash, and D. K. Kharas.

## TYRANNIES OF EUROPE

(Continued from Page 6.)

bombardment with artillery of working men, women and children in tenement houses—these are terrible and shocking events. If for a moment we give the impression that we are indifferent to them then civilisation will tremble indeed.

By all means let us retain formal and even courteous diplomatic relations with all foreign Governments. But let us also remember that the nations to which we are bound by ties of real friendship are the nations which have preserved democratic forms of government and freedom for the individual. The poet Robert Burns once wrote: "I am a Briton; and must ever be interested in the cause of Liberty. I am a man; and the rights of human nature cannot be indifferent to me." Proud words, and true. It is not without significance that Britain and the Scandinavian countries should be the most prosperous and the most happy in the world to-day. And if we hold steadfastly to our course we can once again save ourselves by our exertions, and Europe by our example.

## U.S. COMMODITY PRICES

### LATEST CABLED QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz have received the following quotations on the New York exchange for yesterday.

New York Cotton.	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
October	12.12	12.30-12.30
December	12.21	12.43-12.44
January	12.24	12.49-12.49
March	12.34	12.57-12.58
May	12.40	12.60-12.62
July	12.41	12.64-12.65
Spot	12.40	12.65

New York Rubber	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
October	13.74	14.33-14.33
December	13.98	14.58-14.58
January	14.09	14.70-14.70
March	14.37	14.98-14.99
May	14.69	15.20-15.20
July	14.80	15.42-15.42
Total sales	781 lots	

Chicago Wheat	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
December	99 1/2	102-102 1/2
May	99 1/2	102 1/2-102 1/2
July	99 1/2	99 1/2-98 1/2
Wednesday's sales	33,175,000 bushels.	

Chicago Corn	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
December	75 1/2	76 1/2-77
May	78 1/2	79 1/2-79 1/2
July	78 1/2	79 1/2-79 1/2
Total sales	12,200,000 bushels	

Winnipeg Wheat	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
October	80 1/2	81 1/2-81 1/2
December	81 1/2	82 1/2-82 1/2
May	85 1/2	87 1/2-87 1/2

New York Sugar	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
October	1.88	1.88-1.88
March	1.82	1.83-1.83
May	1.85	1.87-1.87
July	1.80	1.91-1.91
Total sales	13,000 tons	

New York Silk	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
December	1.14	1.15 1/2-1.16
February	1.15	1.17 1/2-1.18
April	1.16 1/2	1.17 1/2-1.18 1/2
Total sales	133 lots	

New York Metals.	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Close.	Close.	Range.
Copper March	5.58	5.50
Tin March	50.30	50.00

## "TELEGRAPH" ART SUPPLEMENT

### To-morrow's Pictorial Features

A variety of interests will be covered in to-morrow's issue of the Telegraph Pictorial Supplement. In view of the foundation-stone laying ceremony which is to take place next week, pictures of the progress in constructing the new Hongkong and Shanghai Bank and of the demolition of the old building will be found of interest, as also will be a photo of the old City Hall building. Weddings illustrated will include those of Mr. John Harrigan and Miss Eileen Piper, and of Mr. Ed. Chang and Miss Eva Young. Some of the prize-winning pictures in the University Amateur Photographic Society's exhibition will be reproduced, while amongst other photos will be one of the Rosary procession in Kowloon.

## EXCHANGE RATES

	Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
Paris	74.4/32	74.27/32
Geneva	14.90 1/2	14.93 1/2
Berlin	12.14	12.11
Hamburg	22 1/2	22 1/2
Oslo	19.90 1/2	19.90 1/2
Athens	510	510
Milan	56.27/32	56.27/32
Buenos Aires	36 1/2	36 1/2
Shanghai	1/7 1/2	1/7 1/2
New York	4.90 1/2	4.90 1/2
Amsterdam	7.18 1/2	7.18 1/2
Vienna	26 1/2	26 1/2
Prague	117	116 1/2
Bucharest	490	488
Vindict	12	35.9/16
Hongkong	1/7 1/2	1/7 1/2
Brussels	20.00	20.00
Stockholm	19.39 1/2	19.39
Copenhagen	22.10	20.40
Lisbon	110 1/2	110 1/2
Bombay	116.1/16	116 1/2
Yokohama	125.1/16	121.3/32
Rio	41	41
Montevideo	39.15/16	40
Belgrade	215	213
Montreal	4.80 1/2	4.81
Silver (Spot)	23 1/2	24 1/2
Silver (forward)	23.7/10	24 1/2
War Loan	105 1/2	105.9/16

## MANILA STOCK EXCHANGE

### PHILIPPINE GOLD SHARE QUOTATIONS

To-day's quotations as received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz shortly after the close of the morning session of the Manila Stock Exchange are as follows:—

Price in Paces	Asked Bid Sales Volume
Antamok Goldfields	0.48 0.44 0.45 3000
Baguio Gold Mining	0.54 0.53 0.54 3000
Benquet Consolidated	1.00 1.00 1.00 3000
Gold River	0.17 0.18 0.17 4000
Iloilo Gold Mines	1.20 1.20 1.20 1000
Itogon Mining Co.	0.50 0.50 0.50 1000
Salacot Mining Co.	0.14 0.13 0.14 1000
United Mines	0.50 0.50 0.50 2000
United Farms	0.50 0.50 0.50 2000
S. C. & F. Gold share Index	50.1 Market

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### INWARD MAILS.

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London parcels only—London, 6th September—and Air Mail ex Imperial Airways Service	Sargodon	October 12.
Shanghai	Kidderpore	October 13.
Shanghai and Swatow	Soochow	October 13.
Japan	Bengal Maru	October 14.
Straits	Dakar Maru	October 15.
U.S.A., Honolulu, Japan and Shanghai (San Francisco, 21st Sept.)	Pres. Wilson	October 15.

### OUTWARD MAILS.

For	Per Friday.	Date and Time.
Someshul and Wuchow	Kong Ning	Fri., Oct. 12, 4 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hailong	Fri., Oct. 12, 4 p.m.
Manila	Emp. of Canada	Fri., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Johnson	Fri., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Letters for "Bandong—Amsterdam Air Mail Service"	K. P. O.	Fri., Oct. 12.
Reg., Oct. 12, 4 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Australia (except places North of Brisbane) and New Zealand via Singapore and Brisbane	(To connect with the s.s. "Nieuw Zealand" at Singapore leaving Singapore on 10th October)	Reg., Oct. 12, 4.15 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 12, 4.15 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Shanghai, Japan, Canada, U.S.A., Central and South America and Europe via Victoria B.C. and Europe via Siberia (Due Victoria B.C. 30th Oct.)	Parcels, Oct. 12, 3 p.m.	Parcels, Oct. 12, 3 p.m.
Straits, Ceylon, India, Mauritius, Bangalore	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
East and South Africa, Aden, Egypt and Europe via Marseilles (Due Marseilles, 10th November)	K. P. O.	G. P. O.
Parcels, Oct. 12, 1 p.m.	Parcels, Oct. 12, 3 p.m.	Parcels, Oct. 12, 3 p.m.
Reg., Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Reg., Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 12, 4.30 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Letters, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Saturday.	Tilawa	Sat., Oct. 13, 8.30 a.m.
Straits and Calcutta	Parcels, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.	Parcels, Oct. 12, 5 p.m.
Haiphong	Canton	Sat., Oct. 13, 2 p.m.
Foochow	Taming	Sat., Oct. 13, 5 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Hiram	Sun., Oct. 14, 8.30 a.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Formosa	Hoson Maru	Sun., Oct. 14, 9 a.m.
Bangkok via Swatow	Klungchow	Mon., Oct. 15, 10.30 a.m.
Swatow	Hydrangan	Mon., Oct. 15, 3 p.m.
Tuesday.	*Manila, Makassar and Sourabaya Tjisadane	Tues., Oct. 16, 9.30 a.m.
*Straits	Kidderpore	Tues., Oct. 16, 2.30 p.m.
Swatow, Amoy and Foochow	Hailong	Tues., Oct. 16, 3 p.m.
Tai Yuan	Tai Yuan	Tues., Oct. 16, 3.30 p.m.
Manila	Pres. Wilson	Tues., Oct. 16, 4.30 p.m.
Wednesday.	Shanghai, Japan, Honolulu, U.S.A., Central and South America, Canada and Europe via Siberia (Due San Francisco, 7th Nov.)	Reg., Oct. 16, 5 p.m.
Letters, Oct. 17, 8.30 a.m.	*Superior correspondence only.	

## SHARE PRICES

The following is the list of local share quotations issued to-day:—	Wing On Textiles, Sh. \$55 n.
<b>Banks.</b>	Lands Hotels etc
Hongkong Bank, \$1660 n.	H. and S. Hotels, \$5.40 n.
I.K. Banks, (Lon. Reg.) \$137 1/2 n.	I.K. Lands, \$50 1/2 b.
<b>Chartered Banks, \$15 1/2 n.</b>	I.K. Lands 4% debentures, 3 1/2% prem. n.
Mercantile Bank, A & B, \$30 1/2 n.	Shai Lands, Sh. \$27 1/2 n.
Mercantile Bank C, \$20 n.	Metropolitan Lands, Sh. \$14 n.
East of Asia Bank, \$30 n.	Humphreys, \$10 n.
Am. O. Finance Corp., Sh. \$20 n.	H.K. Realities, \$4 1/2 b.
China O. Fin. Ord., Sh. \$4 n.	Asia Realities, A, Sh. \$140 n.
China O. Fin. Pref., Sh. \$5 n.	Asia Realities, B, Sh. \$20 n.
<b>Insurance.</b>	Chinese Estates, \$90 n.
Canton Ins., \$285 n.	China Realities, Sh. \$16 1/2 n.
Union Ins., \$530 n.	China Debenture, \$137 n.
China Underwriters, \$1.15 n.	<b>Tramways, \$19.60 n.</b>
China Fire, \$510 n.	Peak Trams (old), \$14 n.
I.K. Fire Ins., \$237 1/2 n.	Peak Trams (new), \$7 n.
Internat'l Acco., Sh. \$6 n.	Star Ferries, \$93 1/2 n.
<b>Shipping.</b>	Yau-mai Ferries (old), \$21 1/2 n.
Douglas, \$41 b.	China Light (old), \$8.60 b.
H.K. Steamboats, \$7 n.	China Light (new), \$8.35 b.
Indo-Chinas, (Prof.), \$30 n.	I.K. Electric, \$70 1/2 n.
Indo-Chinas, (Def.), \$33 n.	Mueno Electric, \$25 n.
Shell's (Bearer), 48 1/2 n.	Sandakan Lights, \$8 n.
Union Waterboats, \$13 1/2 n.	Telephones (old), \$22 1/2 n.
<b>Mining.</b>	Telephones (new), \$10.90 n.
Antamok, 60 cts. n.	China Buses, Sh. \$13.20 n.
Baguio, \$37 n.	Singapore Tractors, 4/- n.
Baguio Gold, 46 cts. n.	Singapore Pref., 18/- n.
Benguets, \$41 1/2 n.	<b>Industries.</b>
Benguets, Exploration, 22 cts. n.	Malabon Sugars, \$8.70 n.
Benguets Goldfield, 20 cts. n.	Old Macg. (old), Sh. \$21 n.
Big Wedge, 10 cts. n.	Canton Ice, \$2.60 b.
Gold Creek, \$2 n.	Cement (com.), \$2.35 n.
Gold River, 21 cts. n.	I.K. Ropes, \$3 1/2 n.
Ipo Mining, \$2 1/2 n.	<b>Stores.</b>
Hogons, \$6.30 n.	Dairy Farms, \$23.70 n.
Kallan, 25/- n.	Watson, \$5.60 n.
Lanzkats (Single), \$17 1/2 n.	Der A Wings, \$1 n.
Shai Explorations, Sh. \$5 n.	Lane, Crawford's, \$4.15 n.
Shai Loans, Sh. \$6 1/2 n.	Mackintoshes, \$21 n.
Ruabs, \$12.90 n.	Sinceres, \$10 n.
Venz, Goldfield, \$5 n.	Wm. Powells, 70 cts. n.
<b>Docks.</b>	Wing On (I.K.) \$110 n.
H.K. Wharves, \$107 n.	<b>Miscellaneous.</b>
I.K. Docks, \$14 1/2 n.	Amusements, \$4 n.
Providents (old), \$1 1/2 n.	I.I. Entertainment, \$7 1/2 n.
Providents (new), 50 cts. n.	S. C. Enterprises, \$1.30 n.
Hongkong Docks, Sh. \$310 n.	United Theatres, Sh. \$1 1/2 n.
New Engineering, Sh. \$4 1/2 n.	Macao "Grovehouse", \$2 n.
Shanghai Docks, Sh. \$113 n.	Constructions (old), \$1.80 n.
<b>Cotton Mills.</b>	Constructions (new), 78 cts. b.
Ewo Cottons, Sh. \$9.80 n.	and sa.
Shai Cottons, (old), Sh. \$75 1/2 n.	Ch. Govt. 5% 1925 G.S. Bonds 87% n.
Shai Cottons (new), Sh. \$44 n.	H.K. Gov. 3 1/2% \$ Loan 3 1/2% prem. n.
Zoong Sings, \$9.40 n.	H.K. Gov. 4% Loan, 8% prem. n.
	Wallace Harpers, \$7 1/2 n.

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## AFTER FOUR YEARS

## SALESMAN, GAOLED FOR THEFT

Entrusted with \$600 with which to make purchases in Canton, Yuan Fu, 36, a salesman, spent \$250 to go to the country, where his father lay seriously ill.

Yuan Fu appeared before Mr. Macfadyen in the Central Police Court this morning charged with the larceny, by servant, of \$600, the property of the Chan Wo Kee firm, No. 3 New Market Street, on December 28, 1930.

Pleading to the charge, the defendant stated he was given only \$250 to make purchases in Canton. Whilst there he was told by a friend that his father was very ill in the country. To enable him to get to his father's bedside he spent the money entrusted to him by the firm. He wrote to his employers informing them of his actions.

Detective-Inspector J. Murphy, for the prosecution, accepted the plea of guilty to the theft of \$250. Defendant was employed as accountant and had absconded with \$600 in 1930. A warrant was taken out for his arrest. In answer to the charge, he admitted stealing \$250.

Complainant stated the defendant's wages were \$10 per month with food.

Two months' hard labour was imposed.

## FRAUD AND THEFT

## RASCAL GETS THREE MONTHS

Three charges, two of obtaining money by false pretences and one of theft of a letter, were brought against Lui Sap, 20, unemployed, before Mr. E. W. Hamilton at the Central Magistracy this morning.

The allegations against defendant were that he obtained the sum of \$30 from a woman, Chun Kwai-sim, on August 25 at No. 234 Lockhart Road by purporting to be Wai Chung-cheung and that he had been sent by the Shu-pai, husband of Chun Kwai-sim, to get the money; that he stole a letter from the staircase of No. 341 Hennessy Road on October 5; and that he attempted to obtain the sum of \$50 from Lam Yuk-chi, residing on the first floor of No. 341 Hennessy Road, on October 10.

Detective-Sergeant Fitches prosecuted and stated, on the first charge, that Chun Kwai-sim had to borrow the \$30, thinking that her husband, who was in Canton looking for work, really needed the money.

Sentence of three months on each charge consecutively was passed.

## TOLO HARBOUR SWUM

## TO KEEP DINNER APPOINTMENT

An interesting story is being told of how a number of local residents overcame a dilemma in which they found themselves when they missed their train to keep a dinner appointment in the New Territories.

They took a car to Tai-po, but on arrival found there was no boat to take them across Tolo Harbour; a distance of a mile and half, to their intended destination.

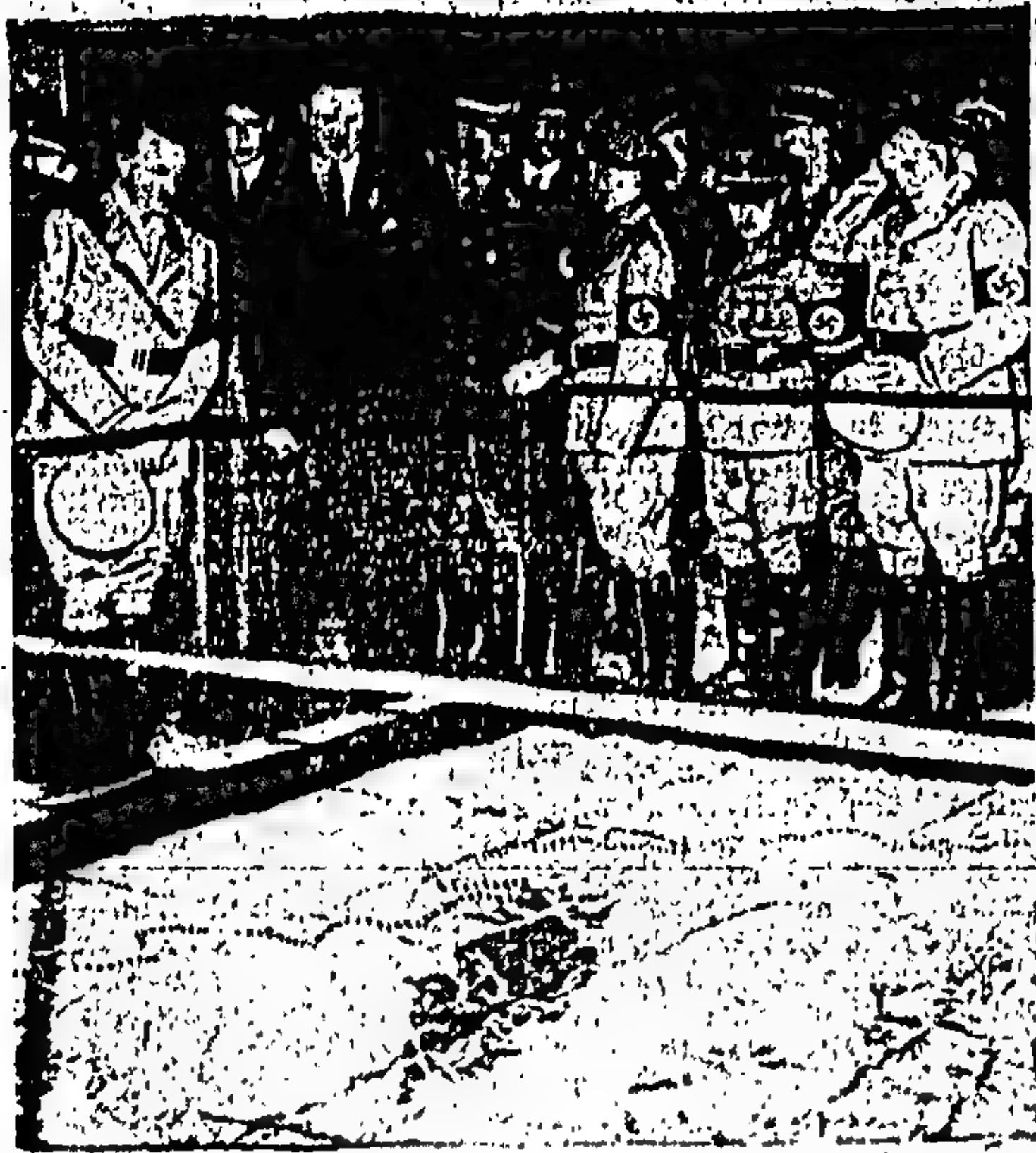
One of the party, a well-known V.R.C. swimming champion, decided to swim across. He succeeded in doing so and reported himself to the boat in a bathing costume. A boat was thereupon despatched to fetch the remainder of the guests, all of whom spent an enjoyable week-end.

## IN WIRELESS TOUCH

The following ships are expected to be in wireless communication with Hongkong to-day:—Tug Talkoo, Feng Lee, Turbo, Ramsay, Changie, Paul Doumer, Kumsang, Glenapp, Hoi-yai Maru, Alaska Maru, Glaucois, Nancy Moller, Empress of Canada, Bangalore, Katori Maru, Surpodon, Behar, Conte Verde, Hydrangea, Canada Maru, Chung On, Michael Jebson.

## PREMIERS MEET

London, Oct. 11.  
The Canadian Premier, Mr. R. B. Bennett, who will leave for Ottawa to-morrow after his short visit to England, lunched with the Prime Minister at Downing Street to-day. The Dominions Secretary, Mr. J. H. Thomas, was among the guests. —British Wireless.



After opening the campaign to win the plebiscite that will decide whether or not the Saar basin wants to return to German government, Adolf inaugurated the "German Saar Exhibit" at Cologne. He's shown here, at left, viewing a huge relief map of the Saar over which he would become dictator if next election favours Germany.

## LONDON STOCK EXCHANGE

## LATEST SHARE QUOTATIONS

The following quotations on the London Stock Exchange have been received by Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz in conjunction with Reuters' British Government Securities, Oct. 10, Oct. 11.

War Loan 3½%	105½	105½
reim. after 1952	105½	105½
Chinese Bonds.		
4½% Bonds 1938	101½	101½
(Eng. Iss.)	93¼	93¼
4½% Loan 1908	93¼	93¼
5% Loan 1912	72	72
5% Reorg. Loan	95½	95½
1913 (Lan. Iss.)	91	91
5% Bonds 1925-27	71	71½
5% Shai-Nanking	27	27
5% Tient-Pukow	22	22
5% Tient-Pukow	22	22
5% Shai-Nanking	100	100
5% Ningpo Rly.	24	24
5% Honan Rly.	36½	36½
5% Hukuang Rly.	16½	16½
1911	16½	16½
5% Lung Tsin U.	16½	16½
5% Hail Rly. 1913	66½	66½
Foreign Bonds and Banks.		
German 7½ Int.	79½	79½
Loan 1924	91	91
Japan 6% Sterling	137½	137½
Loan 1907	15½	15½
Japan 6% Sterling	22/-	22/-
Loan 1924	123/1½	123/1½
H.K. & Shai Bk.	25/-	25/-
(Ldn. Regd.)	96/-	96/-
Chartered Bk. 5% sh.	40/3	47/3
Industrial and Breweries.		
Associated Elec.	91/3	91/3
Industries	25/10½	26/10½
British-Amer. Tob.	45/6	45/6
(Heater)	45/9	45/9
Chinese Eng. and	36/4½	36/4½
Min. (Benger)	9/1½	9/1½
Tate & Lyle	132/6	132/6
Courtaulds	100/3	102/3
Distillers	49/8	49/8
Dunlop Rubber	24½	25½
Eveready 5/- sh.	49/8	49/8
General Electric	50/-	50/-
(England)	23/6	24/-
Boots 5/- sh.	25/-	25/-
Impl. Chem. Ind.	12/3	12/3½
Impl. Chem. Ind.	12/3	12/3½
Def. 10/- sh.	13/4	13/4
Impl. Teluco	20/6	20/6
Woolworths 5/-	10/9	10/9
sh.	9/1½	9/3
Internat. Nickel	32/6	32/-
no par val	11/4½	11/3
Pinchin Johnson	2/-	2/-
10/- sh.	32/-	32/7½
Tatung & Newall	57/-	57/-
Unilever	63/1½	64/4½
Miscellaneous.		
Anglo-Dutch	31/-	31/4½
Burma Corp. Rs.		
10	45/-	45/-
Canadian Pacific	78/0	78/4½
Rly. \$25	£ 22½	£ 22
Charterd. 15/- sh.	£ 20½	£ 20½
(Bayer)	48/1½	48/1½
Gula Kalumpone	28/1½	28/0
Rubber	250/-	250/-
Trepan Mines 5/-		
sh.		
Langlaagte		
Estates		
London Fin 10/-		
sh.		
Pekin Synd. 2/-		
ord. sh.		
Rubber Trusts		
Shai Elec. Constr.		
Van Ryn Deep		
Electric Musical		
Industries		

Oil.		
Anglo-Persian Oil	45/-	45/-
Burma Oil	78/0	78/4½
Southern Railway	£ 22½	£ 22
(Deferred)		
Royal Dutch 100	£ 20½	£ 20½
sh.		
Shell Trans. and	48/1½	48/1½
Trad. (Benger)	28/1½	28/0
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## RUBBER PRICES

## LATEST SINGAPORE QUOTATIONS

Messrs. Benjamin and Potts have received the following Straits currency quotations (buyers) from

## NEW YORK STOCK EXCHANGE

## IMPROVED MARKET YESTERDAY

The following reports on the New York stock market have been received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz: The Wall Street Journal report on yesterday's markets:—Stocks were upward and trading was the most active since mid-Summer, due to inflation hopes based on the President's belief that higher prices are necessary, plus the fact that Senator Bulkeley thinks that further devaluation of the dollar is a possibility. Rumours that the next Session of Congress will see the elimination of the present 60% devaluation limit, power vested in the President, expectation of business improvement, plus a new high record for the price of silver in both London and New York for the past five years, also helped sentiment. Bonds were upward, due to a general improvement in financial sentiment. United States Government issues were also higher, in spite of inflationary possibilities. Stocks on the Curb Exchange gained more than for many weeks past, including a rush to buy silver issues. Wheat prices were upward, due to inflation talk and reports of damage to the crop.

S. C. and F. New York office cables:—Stock: The upward movement was extended as sentiment continued to improve. The Administration reiterates its desire for higher prices and wages and speedier Bank re-openings and payments. It is indicated that farm benefit payments for the remainder of the year will exceed the total for the year preceding September. United States Steel Corp.'s September shipments are off 7,700 tons at 370,000 tons. The Standard Oil Co. of New Jersey has reduced gasoline prices by 2 cents per gallon. Baldwin Locomotive Works' bookings during September totalled \$1,497,000 against \$1,281,000 last year. For the 12 months ended September 30th bookings amounted to \$16,562,000, against \$7,614,000 during the first nine months of last year. Royal Typewriter prices have advanced 6 per cent since official New York silver prices advanced 2½ cents from yesterday and is now at 53½ cents per ounce. Business done—1,300,000.

New York and Chicago commodity reported received through Messrs. Swan, Culbertson and Fritz:—Cotton: The market showed a good technical position and news from Washington regarding price-levels and inflation caused an advance. Some traders doubt inflation, expressing the opinion that inflation talk is Election propaganda, but decided that it is a market influence for the present. Further drought in the South-West, the strength of foreign markets, purchases by the Orient and inflation talk were stimulating factors. Rubber: The market was influenced in much the same as the other markets and we expect a parallel action, pending a clarification of Washington's intention. Sugar: The market was dull and barely steady, owing to lack of "spot" demand and liquidation by tired long holders. Dow-Jones Averages:

Dow-Jones Averages:		Oct. 10.	Oct. 11.
30 Industrials	.....	93.75	95.50
20 Rails	.....	36.15	36.81
20 Utilities	.....	19.99	20.38
10 Bonds	.....	92.73	93.03
11-Commodity Index		58.68	59.86

17-Leading Stocks.

	Oct. 1
Amer. Can.	102½
Amer. Smelt & Ref.	36½
Amer. Tel. & Tel.	112½
Auburn	25½
J. I. Case	93½
Du Pont	93½
Elec. Bond & Share	11½
General Motors	30½
Int. Tel. & Tel.	10½
McIntyre	46½
Montgomery Ward	29½
Nat. Distillers	22½
N. Y. Central	22½
Socomey-Vacuum	18½
Union Pacific	103½
U. S. Steel	35
West E. & M.	33

Singapore to-day for raw rubber:—Spot 23½ up ½ cent  
Nov/Dec: 24½ " ½ " " "  
Jan/Mch: 25½ " ½ " " "  
Apr/June 26½ " ½ " " "  
Market: Steady.

## LIFE SAVING CAMPAIGN

## EXCELLENT LOCAL RESULTS

Sub-Inspector R. J. Hunt, local representative of the Royal Life Saving Society, writes of the excellent results for the 1934 season. Work has been so heavy that he had to appoint three assistant examiners, Sergt. Dutton, of the Lincolnshire Regiment, Sergt. Hall, and Bombardier Thurtell, of the 12th Heavy Battery, Royal Artillery, all of whom did splendid work.

The Indian Mule Corps are to be highly congratulated on presenting a class of eight Indians, all of whom passed. The achievement is all the more creditable from the fact that they are the first Indian regiment in Hongkong to have entered for life-saving awards.

The Indian contingent of the Hongkong Police Force also did very well, showing a steady increase in their number of awards obtained. The 1st Battalion Lincolnshire Regiment's successes are as follows:—Intermediate certificate 86, bronze medallion 85, bar to bronze medallion 12, award of merit 56, 1st class instructors 5.

The figures of the 12th Heavy Battery, R.A., for the respective sections (as above) are as follows: 14, 14, 1, 10, 2, while the 9th Anti-Aircraft Battery gained the following successes:—28, 28, 1, 17, 3.

The Royal Corps of Signals were successful with seven intermediate certificates and seven bronze medallions were gained.

The Indian Mule Corps gained eight intermediate certificates and an equal number of bronze medallions.

The Lincolnshire Regiment deserve much credit for their excellent results which reflects much on the good work of their instructors, Sergeant Dutton, and to Major Impey, M.C., for his untiring efforts.

The successes of the R. A. Batteries is due in no small measure to Sergt. Hall, Bdr. Thurtell, and Lieut G. D. H. Flowerdew. The latter is a keen local sportsman.

## CORRESPONDENCE

## S.P.C.A. Appeal

The Editor, Hongkong Telegraph,

Sir,—The annual drive for financial support for carrying on the work of the Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals is being conducted this year between the 10th, and 20th, October, and letters of appeal have been sent to donors and subscribers who have so kindly supported us in our work in the past. The General Committee fully appreciate that in these times of universal trade depression it is indeed most difficult for many people in the Colony, although keenly desirous of helping all deserving causes, to meet the various calls that are now made upon their charity, and especially at this season of the year. It is felt confident, however, from past experience, that those who are interested in the welfare of animals will do their utmost again to give the Society their fullest support on this occasion. No work like ours can advance, or even continue, without generous support from the public.

One cannot publish in a letter many details connected with the problem of cruelty to animals but it might briefly be mentioned that at present the Society maintains two whole time European inspectors who, in addition to various other duties, are in charge of the Dogs' Home (the construction of our new Dogs' Home at Kowloon is now nearing completion); patrol streets; visit premises where animals, poultry and birds are kept; visit ships carrying livestock; visit wharves and supervise the landing of cattle etc., and areas where poultry are unloaded from lorries. Much of the work of the Inspectors is of an educational nature as the Society does not as a rule undertake any prosecutions, except in serious cases of cruelty or where advice and warnings have been disregarded. The farmer, the slaughter man and all engaged in any way in the livestock trade produce only what is required to meet our demands and therefore we each have a share of responsibility in the work of ensuring that our agents at least act in a humane manner.

The support of everyone in the Colony interested in the welfare of animals is earnestly solicited, as funds are urgently needed to enable the Society to continue to carry on its policy "to prevent cruelty and promote kindness to all animals and birds." The strictest economy is exercised in administration.

D. DAVIES, Vice-President, Hongkong Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals.

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## SILVER'S UNCERTAIN FUTURE

Hongkong business men are  
at the moment having to reckon  
with a most uncertain factor  
owing to the effect of the con-  
tinued rise in silver prices on  
the Colony's currency. The  
plain fact is that no-one knows  
what is likely to happen within  
the space of a few days or even  
hours. In such circumstances,  
the carrying out of business  
transactions must of necessity  
prove extraordinarily difficult.  
Viewed from this angle, there  
can be no questioning the  
point that a stable dollar  
would be infinitely preferable  
to the present almost daily  
fluctuation. China, vitally con-  
cerned in silver prices, has  
been laying the blame on the  
United States for the recent rise,  
which, she says, is having  
adverse effects on her export  
trade. Whilst it is perfectly  
true that America's monetary  
policy, especially in relation to  
silver, has been the main factor  
in the situation, latterly it is  
the influence of India speculators  
rather than American buying  
which has caused prices to soar.  
Surprise has been expressed in  
some quarters that China should  
complain at the effect of present  
silver rates, whereas no such  
complaints were heard when,  
some years back, the price of  
the white metal was infinitely  
higher than it now is. A point  
that must be borne in mind,  
however, is that silver has  
latterly risen, not in conformity  
with a rise in general commodi-  
ty prices, as was the case five  
or six years ago. In other  
words, its enhanced value is the  
result of the application of  
artificial measures, aided by  
speculative activity. Admittedly,  
America has contended that  
higher silver prices are benefi-  
cial to China, because they in-  
crease her purchasing power,  
but the U.S. policy is not based  
on this consideration; what is  
even more to the point is that  
China is concerned more over  
her export trade than with her  
ability to buy from abroad. It  
is difficult at the moment to see  
what China can do. Adoption  
of a gold standard is out of the  
question, an embargo on silver  
exports would not produce the  
effects desired, whilst devalua-  
tion of her currency would  
destroy her credit abroad. If  
silver remains at a high level,  
disproportionate to commodity  
prices, something might be done  
in the direction of correcting  
the trade balance by increasing  
import duties, but this of itself  
would not bring about the  
desired improvement in exports.  
America's buying of silver is,  
as is well known, mainly in  
conformity with the Roosevelt  
promise to assist the silver in-  
terests in the States. How long

## NOTES OF THE DAY

### FRANCE'S LOSS

France mourns to-day for the  
death of one of the world's most  
distinguished diplomats, M. Louis  
Barthou, victim of an assassin's  
mad vengeance. Crowds in Mar-  
seilles wept as the train, bearing  
M. Barthou's body, steamed out to  
Paris. The world has lost a friend  
of peace, a devout patriot and a  
brilliant and courageous statesman.  
It is a blow to French prestige in  
the Balkans that the assassination  
of King Alexander should have  
occurred as it did. There is hard  
feeling against the republic in  
Yugo-Slavia. But when the nation  
whose ruler has been murdered re-  
members that M. Barthou, himself  
mortally wounded, threw himself  
in the way of the attacker in an  
attempt to save the King, the wound  
may be drawn from the wound.  
M. Barthou's last act of sacrifice  
probably will go far towards pre-  
serving his country's friendship  
with a valuable ally.

### AUSTRALIA'S CABINET

Mr. Lyons has announced the  
personnel of his new Cabinet. The  
names are, most of them, well-  
known to Australians, and the  
strength of the Cabinet is un-  
questionable. The former Ator-  
ney-General and Minister for  
External Affairs, Mr. J. G.  
Latham, who lately visited Hong-  
kong in the course of a trade  
mission, is absent from the list,  
but that is because he will go to  
London, it is believed, in the  
capacity of High Commissioner,  
succeeding Mr. S. M. Bruce. The  
Hon. William Hughes, bitter  
enemy of Mr. Bruce, holds office  
for the first time. All previous  
efforts to obtain the services of  
this gentleman in the Cabinet have  
been unavailing, though Mr. Lyons  
used his most persuasive eloquence.  
Mr. Hughes told the Premier bluntly  
that he would never serve in a  
Cabinet where Mr. Bruce held  
office. Mr. Bruce has since gone to  
London, so the way was smoothed  
for Mr. Hughes' acceptance of  
Cabinet responsibility.

### NAVAL PARLEY

The Japanese and American de-  
legates are on their way to London  
to meet the British delegation at  
preliminary conferences with re-  
spect to the existing naval pacts.  
No-one knows exactly what the  
policies of the Governments con-  
cerned may be, but it is pretty cer-  
tain that neither Britain nor  
America will agree to any in-  
creasing of Japan's sea strength.  
For a time there was talk of Japan  
demanding equality with the two  
others, but the latest statement of  
policy from an official source,  
Admiral Yamamoto in this in-  
stance, indicates that Japan has in  
mind a plan for the reduction of  
naval armaments, all-round, still  
presumably aiming at equality.  
It is useless to guess at what may  
develop from the conference, and  
until the regular sessions open  
next month there will probably be  
little intimation of what courses  
the naval experts have set for  
themselves.

### HUNGARY'S NEED

To-day we publish an article by  
Robert Boothby, M.P., one of the  
promising young Conservative  
members of Parliament, who ex-  
presses the hope that Britain, by  
example and encouragement, may  
help Europe out of her political  
difficulties, and point the way to  
peace. Mr. Boothby thinks there  
is grave danger of war and one of  
the major causes for this fear is  
the position of Hungary. The  
matter is discussed editorially by a  
London commentator: "The Inter-  
national Law meeting in Hungary  
recently devoted itself mainly to  
academic interpretations of the  
Kellogg-Briand Pact. It would be  
better employed in discussing the  
effect on international relations of  
the Treaty of Trianon. That  
instrument was harsh, unjust, and  
oppressive to Hungary, and there  
can be no real peace in Central  
Europe until it has been revised.  
Since it was signed fourteen years  
ago, dismembered and humiliated  
Hungary has behaved with exem-  
plary fortitude under the greatest  
provocation. Three-fifths of her  
former population is condemned to  
live under alien rule. Many of her  
people have been subjected to  
gross persecution and have had  
their property confiscated. The  
plight of this gallant little country  
is one which should arouse the  
sympathy of British people, be-  
tween whom and the Magyars there  
have always existed strong ties of  
mutual regard.

It will continue is a moot point;  
there is a suggestion that it may  
not be so vigorously pursued  
after the November elections.  
But with the issue dependent on  
this factor and on the influences  
of speculative activities, the  
future both of silver and of this  
Colony's currency must be re-  
garded as most uncertain.

# TYRANNIES OF EUROPE

By ROBERT BOOTHBY, M.P.

NO one can deny that Europe  
to-day is in a terrible condi-  
tion. Worse, perhaps, than at any  
period since the Thirty Years War.  
In most countries democracy, with  
all that it implies, has been rudely  
overthrown, and crude force has  
taken its place as the decisive  
factor in government. Russia,  
Germany, and Italy are in the grip  
of absolute tyrannies, and in all  
these great countries individual  
liberty has been entirely blotted  
out. Such a catastrophe would  
have been regarded as quite in-  
conceivable by any responsible  
politician of the nineteenth cen-  
tury. Economic conditions have  
deteriorated, even faster than  
politics. In Poland they are bad,  
in Germany worse, and in Central  
Europe they are appalling. I  
should say that, taken all over,  
the peasants of Europe are living  
at a lower standard than they have  
done for a century, and that the  
industrial workers are conside-  
rably worse off than they were be-  
fore the war.

In such a situation rumours of  
war are inevitable, and we do not  
lack them. But I do not think  
that war will come—yet. It will  
come in two or three years if cer-  
tain problems are not tackled, if  
Germany is ready for it, and if  
the world remains as bankrupt of  
real statesmanship as it has been  
since the war. The last is a  
sweeping statement. But is it  
unjustified? Looking back on the  
Treaty of Versailles at this dis-  
tance of time, the most charitable  
view one can take of its authors  
is that they were all temporarily  
insane. The task which confronted  
them was nothing less than the  
reconstruction of a well-balanced  
Europe. It was not beyond the  
bounds of human accomplishment.  
A hundred years before Motter-  
nich, Castlereagh, and Talleyrand,  
in circumstances not dissimilar,  
had successfully achieved it.  
There was a lot of talk in 1919  
about making the world safe for  
heroes, and safe for democracy  
and peace. But when they came  
down to realities, the policy  
adopted by the statesmen of  
Europe at Versailles was a policy  
not of reconstruction but of smash-  
and-grab; with the result that, so  
far as they could manage it, they  
made the world safe for tyranny  
and war.

Allowance must, of course, be  
made for the fearful stresses, hys-  
teria, and nervous exhaustion to  
which everyone was subjected at  
the time. Even so, the men who  
drew the present boundaries of  
Austria and Hungary can scarcely  
be forgiven. Economic impossi-  
bilities they were. Economic im-  
possibilities they remain. Their  
very existence has been the cause  
of untold human suffering, and  
may well be the cause of another  
European upheaval. How long  
believed that the best solution of  
the problem of Central Europe  
would have been the creation, im-  
mediately after the war, of a  
strong mid-European State, em-  
bracing Bavaria, Austria, Wurtem-  
berg, Hungary and, possibly,  
Czechoslovakia. It would have  
taken the form of a federation,  
with semi-autonomous units; and

One final word. I do not believe  
that the reign of force and terror  
has come to stay. Tyranny will  
not prevail in Europe. It is a  
passing phase, born of the war,  
and of the peace which followed it.  
As a nation we must never com-  
promise our fundamental convic-  
tions. We believe in freedom and  
hate tyranny. Then let us boldly  
say so. From our position of  
comparative isolation and security,  
it is natural that our sensibilities  
should have become somewhat  
blunted in face of the horrors  
which have been perpetrated on  
the Continent during the last few  
years. But wholesale political  
butchery without trial and the  
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"Now remember, it's costing us a lot of money to send you  
to a school with such social advantages, so you must not just  
bury yourself in books."

## The Very Idea!

### WINTER DRAWS ON, MADAM

Mr. Edward Kelly, the famous  
meteorological expert, wishes to  
announce that, commencing next  
Monday at 2 a.m. sharp, it will  
be time for Hongkong people to  
get into their winter clothes.  
He realises, naturally, that 2 a.m.  
is rather an awkward time for  
the changeover, but, anyway,  
most people will be just thinking  
of going to bed then.

WE WISH to report that,  
commencing next Mon-  
day, we will bring summer  
to a satisfactory conclusion.

There have, we admit,  
been several occasions when  
the weather has not been  
quite satisfactory, but we  
flatter ourselves that, in con-  
junction with Mr. Jeffries,  
we have brought this de-  
partment to a high state of  
efficiency this year.

Several efforts were made  
during the course of summer to  
bring a typhoon to Hongkong,  
but, unfortunately, the animal  
succeeded in breaking away from  
its keepers each time.

We are glad that the measures  
we took last year to alleviate the  
water shortage have borne fruit,  
the arrangements made with  
Jupiter Pluvius Inc., proving  
highly satisfactory.

At the same time, we would  
like to draw the attention of  
Hongkong residents to the grow-  
ing practice of throwing stones  
into the sea at the various  
beaches surrounding the Colony.  
If mothers continue to allow their  
children to throw stones into the  
harbour there will be dry land  
between Kowloon and the Peak,  
and then the bad, bad men who  
hold wild parties on the Peak will  
come and gobble them.

In all other respects the weather  
gave us complete satisfaction.  
Humidity was kept at a high level  
throughout the summer, and our  
fleas, flies, ants, mosquitoes and  
various insects were as busy and  
enterprising as ever, making some  
of the finest bites recorded in the  
Colony.

During the winter season  
we propose continuing our  
policy of giving the public  
what it doesn't want.

During this period we shall  
expect our readers to rid their  
bodies of bites, scratches, and,  
where practicable, boils, as these  
are inconvenient when sitting  
down on the long evenings we pro-  
pose to introduce.

These long evenings will be  
utilised in various ways, such  
as drinking, eating, drinking,  
smoking, drinking or in any  
other of the many evening re-  
creations known to modern  
people.

In view of the weather we have  
in view, our clients would be  
advised to see that they do not  
catch cold. Men, women, and—  
sorry, ladies, gentlemen and  
children should at once put on  
flannel drawers.

Flannel drawers are easy to  
make and quick to adjust. They  
are made of flannel and wrap  
around each leg at the knee and  
follow the shape of the leg until  
there is no leg left.

Then the two legs join into one  
leg and form the body, which is  
the same size for very thin people  
and more than ten times the size  
for fat people.

If the flannel drawers go higher  
than the waist-line they cease to  
be flannel drawers and become  
flannel combinations.

If the upper part of a combina-  
tion has no legs in it, but extends  
to the ground, it becomes a fear-  
ful thing called a flannel nightie.

Some people obtain extra  
warmth by wearing a night-  
cap on their head, but we pre-  
fer to drink ours.

Of course, over these clothes we  
have mentioned, it is better, for  
street wear, to don other clothes.  
Convention dictates this, although  
readers can, if they wish, defy  
convention.

You Will, Will You.

Baker & Taylor Company  
55 Fifth Avenue  
New York City  
Dear Sirs:

To you I have been referred  
as capable of recommending me a  
good book of strong, powerful  
English for effective composition—  
won't you kindly do so? I'll make  
it right with you, I will!

Yours truly,  
Jerome D.  
(signed)



SHIPPING  
PACTRATIONALISING  
INDUSTRYSCANDINAVIAN  
PREPARATION

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Oslo, October 11. Important progress towards the rationalisation of international shipping has been officially recorded at a conference of representatives of Governments and shippers of Denmark, Norway and Sweden.

The Scandinavian shipping interests are strongly opposed to Government subsidy of steamship lines, and in this are largely supported by British opinion.

The conversations just concluded were arranged in order to formulate a policy for the three countries concerned which they can take with them to the International Shipping Conference in London later in the year.

The details of the agreement reached, however, are not to be divulged at present. — *Reuter Special.*

Prince  
Opens Air  
CollegeADDRESSES CADETS  
AT CRANWELL

London, Oct. 11.

The Prince of Wales, wearing the uniform of an Air Marshal, flew from London to Cranwell, Lincolnshire, to-day, to open the Royal Air Force College, founded on the lines of Sandhurst and Woolwich.

The first Commandant of the College is Air Vice-Marshal Longcroft, who was a pilot when the Prince had his first flight 16 years ago.

In an address to the cadets the Prince said:

"You have joined a great service and though the Royal Air Force is the junior service it, along with the Navy and Army, makes for that confidence which, not only throughout the Empire but throughout the world is of vital importance and will continue to be of vital importance until the make-up of the world changes very radically."

The Prince made a tour of inspection during the afternoon, afterwards flying back to London. — *British Wireless.*

FIGHTING  
EXTRADITIONLINDBERGH CASE  
DEVELOPMENTS

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New York, Oct. 11. Despite the objections of the authorities of the State of New Jersey, Mr. J. M. Fawcett, counsel for Richard Hauptmann, accused in the Lindbergh murder case, has obtained postponement of the habeas corpus hearing until Monday.

Mr. Fawcett is fighting the extradition order by every means in his power. The Governor of New York, Governor Lehmann, has already ordered the extradition to go forward. — *United Press.*

MRS. ROOSEVELT'S  
BIRTHDAY"Most Delightful To  
Grow Older"

(Special to "Telegraph")

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Washington, Oct. 11. Mrs. Franklin D. Roosevelt celebrated her fiftieth birthday to-day. "I think it is a most delightful feeling to grow older," she said. "It is so satisfactory to be able to look back and not have the little excitements one has when one is young." — *United Press.*

DEPORTATION  
RESENTEDTOKYO TO MAKE  
EXPLANATIONCHINA QUOTES  
JAPAN'S LAW

Nanking, Oct. 11.

Mr. Ariyoshi, Japanese Minister to China, arrived here from Shanghai and immediately called Mr. Wang Ching-wel, President of the Executive Yuan, and concurrently Foreign Minister.

It is learned in authoritative quarters that Mr. Ariyoshi's visit is for the purpose of giving a full explanation of Japan's position in regard to the recent deportation of Chinese labourers from Japan.

In connection with this affair, a rejoinder to the Japanese reply was delivered to the Japanese Legation by the *Waichiao* two days ago. In strengthening its argument against the deportation of Chinese labourers, the Foreign Office quoted in detail the Japanese law governing the rights and interests of foreign residents in Japan. — *Central News.*

## HOTIEN FALLS

Government Army  
Ousts Reds

Fochow, Oct. 12.

The Anti-Red Military Headquarters announced this morning that the Government forces in Western Fukien occupied Hotien, an important point leading to Changting (the stronghold of the Reds in Fukien) yesterday after a severe engagement. The Reds retreated toward Changting.

With the recovery of Hotien, the Government troops expect to capture Changting in the near future. Fighting is developing in this direction following the resumption of an offensive by the Government troops. — *Central News.*

## GOODWILL TOUR

MR. EDEN LEAVES FOR  
SCANDINAVIA

London, Oct. 11.

The Lord Privy Seal, Mr. Anthony Eden, left London this afternoon for Scandinavia.

No officials accompany him and the visit is entirely one of goodwill arising from friendly personal relationships established with representatives of the Scandinavian countries at Geneva. — *British Wireless.*

## DRIZZLE OR RAIN

The anticyclone remains centred to the north of Shanghai, and has increased in intensity. The depression is situated about 200 miles south-east of Tokyo, moving north-eastward. Local forecast: East winds, moderate; cloudy, some drizzle or light rain.

## DAY BY DAY NEWS IN BRIEF

WE DO PRAY FOR MERCY; AND THAT SAME PRAYER BOTH TEACH US ALL TO RENDER THE DEEDS OF MERCY. — *Shakespeare.*

Knocked down by motor car No. 1077 in Hennessy Road, Wanhsai, yesterday, a boy, Mak Sing-kai, aged 9 years, was removed to the Government Civil Hospital.

A service in English for Chinese returned students and others is now being held every Sunday at 10.30 a.m. in the Bishop's Chapel, St. Paul's College. It is intended for Chinese Christians and those interested in the Christian religion who are not naturally at home in a Cantonese service.

"I have received a note from your Commanding Officer, saying that you were acting under orders received, so I am going to discharge you," said Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning, when Taul Wah, an R.A.F. motor driver, appeared in answer to a summons for driving a lorry without an appropriate licence, and for carrying a long load without a permit, in Jordan Road on September 17. Defendant had a motor-car driver's licence.

Two unemployed men, Lau Chun, 30 years, and Lo Fui, 25 years, were charged with having in their possession instruments fit for an unlawful purpose, at Mongkok Road on October 9, and were sentenced to three months' hard labour each, by Mr. E. I. Wynne-Jones at the Kowloon Magistrate's Court this morning. The first defendant had a sharpened file and on being questioned stated that it had been given to him by a friend to fight with. The second man had a knife and also admitted that he had it for the purpose of using it in a fight. Detective Inspector Andrews prosecuted.

PEAK TRAMWAY  
DEVELOPMENTNO DECISION YET  
ON EXTENSIONPLAN FOR FLATS  
AWAIT APPROVAL

Enquiries made by the *Telegraph* this morning disclose the fact that the Peak Tramways Co., Ltd., has so far taken no action regarding the recent suggestion for extending the lower terminus down to Queen's Road.

The matter, said Mr. D. E. Clark, of Messrs. J. D. Humphreys and Co., general managers of the Company, had not yet been considered by the Board of Directors. Mr. Clark pointed out that the petitions on behalf of the suggested extension, which were signed by many residents, were not prepared by the Company, and he had no knowledge as to what had become of them.

With regard to the proposed block of flats near the site of the present terminus, Mr. Clark stated that nothing could be stated at the moment, as the plans had not been finally approved.

## H.K. WHEELERS

SHUMCHUN VISIT  
ON SUNDAY

The management of the Hong-kong Wheelers have selected Shumchun again as their venue for this Sunday's run, Mr. L. Saunders acting as Run Captain. The party will leave the Wheeler's Headquarters at 9 a.m., commencing the actual run from the Vehicular Ferry, Jordan Road, at 9.30 a.m. An invitation to other local cycling enthusiasts to join the Wheelers on this spin is extended. Bathing kit should be carried.

The unsettled weather conditions were responsible for the cancellation of the Wheeler's visit to Shumchun last Sunday. A good attendance was present in anticipation of a start being made but the incessant rain made the long journey out of the question. Some consolation was afforded, however, when the weather improved and it was decided to carry out the afternoon trip round the Island. Mr. A. Wilson, the former Nairn Cycling Club member, led the party and after a steady run completed the circuit in just the two hours.

BOOTH LINE  
EXPANSIONNEW STEAMER  
LAUNCHED

London, Oct. 11.

A 5,000-ton ship built by Messrs. Cammell Laird at their Birkenhead yard was launched to-day.

She was the s.s. *Clement*, the first of two 5,000-ton vessels being constructed for the Booth Line, Liverpool. — *British Wireless.*

DUKE OF KENT  
OPENS  
MOTOR SHOWYEAR'S PROGRESS  
OUTLINEDOVERSEAS  
VISITORS

London, Oct. 11.

When the Duke of Kent, Prince George, opened the International Motor Show at Olympia to-day, he mentioned the fact that the British Motor Industry, within the last twelve months, had been able to expand its trade both at home and abroad to such an extent that it had been possible to take off the unemployment register and replace on the pay roll some 100,000 men.

"As a motorist myself," said the Duke, "I can appreciate that the quality of your products has been even further improved during the last year, and I am glad to see that the use of various devices to increase safety on the road has been a keynote of designers and production engineers."

There was an exceptionally large attendance at the opening and the presence of more visitors from Overseas was particularly noticeable.

## INTERNATIONAL AFFAIR.

This is the 28th show of the series and it is definitely international in character. Although there are few, if any, decreases in the price of models, they contain many improvements. Bodies are roomier, more solidly constructed and show improved finish; and an increased number have independently sprung wheels, semi-automatic gear boxes and draught-proof ventilation.

The streamline tendency is general. The show remains open for the next ten days. — *British Wireless.*

STOLE LADY'S  
HANDBAGBANISHEE SENT TO  
GAOL

Miss P. Chon, of No. 5 Broadwood Road, was the complainant before Mr. Thomson in the Central Police Court this morning, when Lok Ming, 20, unemployed, was charged with stealing a handbag, containing a lady driver's licence, a compact set, two handkerchiefs and \$101. He pleaded guilty.

Defendant was further charged with returning from banishment. On this charge, Sergeant H. N. Moran, of the Police Fingerprints Office, applied for committal, stating that defendant had returned three times.

It was stated that Miss Chon parked her car near Queen's Pier on Wednesday. She left her bag on the seat and the defendant came up and snatched it. Miss Chon gave chase and the thief was caught by an Indian constable.

On the theft charge the defendant was sentenced to three months' hard labour, and on the charge of returning from banishment was remanded for seven days.

CHINA SENDS  
CONDOLENCESMESSAGE FOR  
BOY KING.

Nanking, Oct. 12.

Mr. Wang Ching-wel, as Chinese Foreign Minister, has instructed the Chinese Legation at Paris to convey to the French Government the sympathy of the Chinese Government over the death of M. Barthou.

At the same time, the Chinese Legation has been also instructed to send a telegram of condolence on behalf of the Chinese Government to the Boy King of Yugoslavia through the Yugo-Slavian Legation at Paris. China has not yet established a diplomatic representative in Yugo-Slavia. — *Central News.*

BASEBALLERS'  
TOURING TEAMVISITING ORIENT  
NEXT MONTH

Philadelphia, Oct. 11.

Babe Ruth, famous baseball star, has been named field manager of the touring American League all-star baseball team which is leaving Vancouver on the Canadian Pacific liner, *Empress of Japan*, on November 2.

The team will visit Honolulu and Japan, Shanghai and Manila, playing exhibition games wherever it can.

Connie Mack of Detroit, will manage the activities of the team outside of playing. — *Reuter.*

RADIO  
BROADCASTJazz Banjo and Piano  
Recital.

## PICTURES ON PARADE.

From ZBW on a wavelength of 355 metres (845 kilocycles). 4-7 p.m. Chinese Programme. 7-10.35 p.m. European Programme.

7 p.m. Closing Local Stock Quotations, London and New York Stock and Commodity Quotations. 7.05-7.30 p.m. Band Selections from Light Opera.

Patience (Sullivan). The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

Dorothy (Collier). The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

The Sorcerer (Sullivan). The Band of H.M. Coldstream Guards.

7.30-8 p.m. From the Studio. A Jazz Recital by Fred Carpio (Banjo and Guitar) and Julian Silverio (Piano).

1. Flapperette. 2. Pizzicato Polka. 3. Silverio Shuffle. 4. Sleepy Head. 5. Sparklets. 6. The Clock and the Banjo. 7. Wagon Wheels. 8. Rufenreddy.

8 p.m. Local Time and Weather Report. 8.02-8.15 p.m. From the Studio. "Pictures on Parade" by Film Fanny.

8.15-9 p.m. Variety. Orchestra—Jerome Kern—Medley. Carroll Gibbons and the Savoy Hotel Orpheans.

Vocal Gems—Mr. Whittington. Jack Buchanan and Elsie Randolph with Carroll Gibbons and John W. Green.

Organ Solo—Rhapsody in Blue. Song—A Place in your heart. Song—The Very Thought of you. Sam Coslow (Temor).

Band—Maurice Chevalier Songs—Medley. Van Phillips and his Concert Band.

Vocal—Clarice Mayne—Medley. Clarice Mayne (Comedienne). 9.045 p.m. From the Studio. A 24th Recital of Gramophone Records by the Rev. C.B.R. Sargent.

9.45 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, London. 1 p.m. Stock and Commodity Quotations.

9.50-10.15 p.m. Light Orchestral Music. Bolero (Ravel). Boston Symphony Orchestra directed by Serge Koussevitzky. Glow Worm Idyll (Lincke). Dances des Apaches (Clarke). New Light Symphony Orchestra. Maruschka (De Leur). Albert Sandler and His Orchestra. 10.13-10.30 p.m. Two Chopin Ballads played by Alfred Cortot.

1. Ballade in A Flat Major (Op. 47). 2. Ballade in F Minor (Op. 52). 10.30 p.m. Reuter Press Bulletins, Rugby. Mid-day Press News, etc. 10.35 p.m. Close Down.

ACCIDENT NOT  
REPORTEDLADY THOUGHT IT  
TOO TRIVIAL

A plea that the defendant thought the incident too trivial to report to the police was made by Mr. Leo D'Almada, Sr., this morning when he appeared before Mr. E. W. Hamilton, at the Central Magistrate's Court, near Gloucester Road, who was summoned for failing to report after a collision.

Traffic Inspector C. F. Alexander alleged that defendant knocked down a woman in Des Voeux Road Central, near Queen Victoria Street, whilst driving private car No. 2807, and did not report the matter to the police.

Mr. D'Almada admitted that no report was made to the police, but stated that after the accident, the woman who was knocked down, got up and ran away.

A fine of \$10 was imposed.

CIRCUS STILL  
ATTRACTSPROGRAMMES MUCH  
ENJOYED

Isako's Circus continues to draw large audiences to Kowloon, the entire programme being of exceptional merit. Amongst the most popular items are the monkey and pony races, the performance by the midget pony, and musical elephant, and the intelligence displayed by the albino horse. All of these animals have been trained by Mr. G. A. Blacker who puts them through their paces.

The amazing horsemanship of the Cossack riders and the sensational work of the trapeze artists provide thrills aplenty. It can be safely said that Mr. Isako has brought one of the finest entertainments ever to visit the Colony.

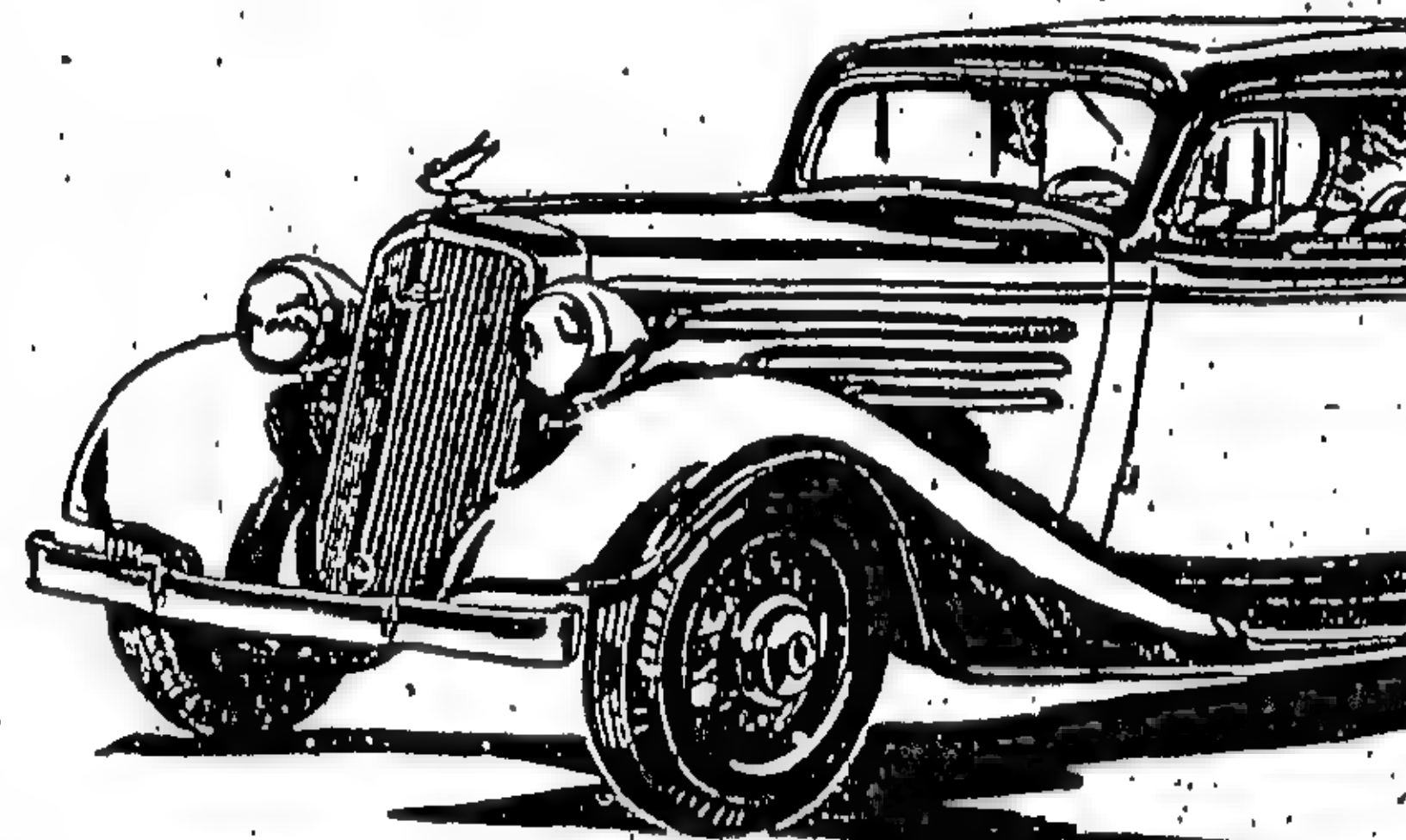


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# HONGKONG'S BATTING COLLAPSE

## TO TRAIN GERMAN SWIMMERS

JAPAN'S OLYMPIC  
COACH

OFFERS THANKS  
TO HONGKONG

FOR HOSPITALITY

(By "Veritas").

Leading German swimmers are to be trained for the 1936 world olympics by a Japanese expert. This unusually friendly arrangement is part of a deal between Germany and Japan to exchange national delegates whose mission it is to teach the cultural characteristics of the two countries.

Mr. E. Tsuruoka, 100 and 200 metres free style swimming champion of Japan, and professor of the art of Ju Jitsu, is the gentleman who is to visit Berlin and Leipzig to teach these two national arts of Japan to the youth of Nazidom.

He arrived in Hongkong yesterday on board the Terukune Maru, en route for Germany, and while here paid his respects to officials of local sports associations with whom he came into contact earlier in the year when he brought the Japanese Olympic team back from Manila.

### OFFICIAL THANKS.

Mr. Tsuruoka, who retains very happy memories of his previous visit to Hongkong, was asked specially by the Japanese Amateur Athletic Federation, for whom he is acting as delegate in his visit to Europe, to convey to the sportsmen of Hongkong the Association's warm appreciation for all that was done for the Manila Olympic team when they passed through the Colony. They wished particularly to convey their thanks to the Kowloon Cricket Club and officials of the Lawn Tennis Association.

Mr. Tsuruoka is viewing his mission with great enthusiasm, and when I spoke to him, he said his visit was part of a scheme whereby delegates versed in the cultural characteristics of Japan and Germany were to exchange visits.

He would remain in Germany until 1936, when he would take charge as coach and manager of the Japanese Olympic swimming team which would be sent to Berlin.

While there he would instruct the Germans in swimming and Ju Jitsu.

### CORRESPONDENT

Bowls Dinner.

Sir,—I see in your morning contemporary that a dinner is to be held in connection with the official ending of the bowls season, but the hour of commencing the dinner is not mentioned. The only clue to this is that "immediately after the match players and spectators alike will adjourn to the K.C.C. pavilion for the dinner." As the match is due to commence at 2.30, it should finish by 6 o'clock at the latest, so presumably the dinner is to be served at the latter hour and I won't even have time to have one for the road. Just too bad.

OLD TOM OLIVE

### BASEBALL VISIT

The All-Star Major League baseball team have arranged to tour the Orient this autumn and will sail from Vancouver, B.C., by the Empress of Japan, October 20.

## WAS IT DUE TO COLD FEET?

### BLACK DAY FOR THE COLONY

DROPPED CATCHES  
BUGBEAR

(By R. Abbit)

The news that Shanghai had won the toss on a perfect wicket was rather a blow, and I am not a bit surprised at the large score they rattled up.

It was unfortunate that Stokes was dropped—before his century as he made sixty-four more runs. Apart from this, however, the fielding is stated in a private wire to have been magnificent, while Dunkley, who caught one and stumped two, only gave away three byes in an innings of three hundred and thirty-five.

### LUCKLESS PEREIRA.

Pereira did not get a wicket and I shall be interested to know if it was the perfect wicket or the effects of sea-sickness which upset the applicator. I recollect one very experienced cricketer a month ago telling me he did not expect Pereira to take wickets on a good Shanghai pitch.

Ricketts and Pearce seem to have risen nobly to the occasion. I have no doubt however that Pereira will have his chance if the wicket wears—and anyway, he is worth his place for his fielding alone.

The great point was a Wednesday that we survived a short spell of batting at the end without losing a wicket.

### A DISASTROUS SECOND DAY.

Badly as things had gone on the first day, even worse was to come. There was a good deal of speculation when the cable to the Cricket Club came in last night as to whether there had been rain. Actually it is said in *Reuter's* message that the wicket had shown signs of wear. But even so I find it hard to explain the collapse except by cold feet.

Pereira alone of the early batsmen mastered the bowling to a certain extent. The complete failure of Garthwaite and McInnis surprised me most. I had expected them to stop even if they did not make large scores. Owen Hughes is definitely on the nervous side, and I imagine being dropped off the first ball completed his discomfiture.

It remained for Madar, who seems to like the Shanghai ground, and Ricketts to save our face a little. I have all along said that not enough use was made of the latter as a bat. Pereira also hit gallantly.

### ANOTHER DROPPED CATCH.

It is curious how catches seem to follow the bad fieldsmen. In the first innings Stokes gave a chance to Baines, who is the least safe catch on the side, and in the second, he has given one to Baines' substitute Williams whose fielding was the chief cause of his falling to get into the side.

With that catch went down any faint hope we might have had of skittling Shanghai out for a few and possibly bringing off a spectacular victory.

Now nothing less than a miracle—or a fortnight's rain can save us, and the queer thing is that Pat Madar, unless he has improved out of all recognition, is a very ordinary spin bowler—certainly not as good as Minu and no better than Elvin; tho' of course, they are left-handers.

## Donates Million Yen For Stadium

### JAPANESE SPORTS TO BENEFIT

Tokyo, Oct. 2.

Ylchil Kishi, heir to the large fortune left by his father, Seichi Kishi, famed Japanese sportsman, to-day announced that he is donating ¥1,000,000 to the Japanese Amateur Athletic Association for the construction of a huge central sports building.

The gift will be made October 29, anniversary of the death of Seichi, long time member of the International Olympic Committee. Seichi Kishi was president of the J.A.A.A. until the time of his death, just before the world olympic games held in 1932 in Los Angeles.

He was one of Japan's most famous criminal lawyers and amassed a fortune from his practice of law. He was an ardent sportsman and a lover of all sports, and was prominent in Japanese sporting circles throughout his lifetime.

Seichi was to have honorably presided over the Tenth Far Eastern Games, held in Manila several months ago. Owing to his death, however, Seichi's position as honorary president of the Far Eastern Games committee was taken over by Ryozo Hiranuma.

## Football League Fixtures

### FOR THE COMING WEEK-END

In response to several requests, the fixture list of the Hongkong Football League for the week-end is published again to-day, and in future it will appear in these columns every Thursday and Friday.

The matches for Saturday and Sunday next follow.

#### FIRST DIVISION.

Kick-off 4.30 p.m. unless otherwise stated.

#### SATURDAY.

S. China "B" v Borderers—Caroline Hill.  
Recreio v Lincolns—King's Park.  
Club v Athletic—Club.  
Police v Kowloon—Kowloon.  
East Lancs. v R.A.—Sookunpoo.

#### SECOND DIVISION.

Kick-off 3 p.m. unless otherwise stated.  
Kowloon v Borderers—Kowloon.  
Navy v Lincolns—Caroline Hill.  
Club v Athletic—Club.  
Eastern v R.A.—Military, 4.30.  
University v R.E.—Athletic, 4.30.  
East Lancs. v Y. Indians—Chatham Road, 4.30.

#### THIRD DIVISION.

Kick-off 3 p.m. unless otherwise stated.  
R.A.M.C. v Recreio—St. Joseph's.  
Police v Railway—Railway.  
R.A.O.C. v Rugby—Military.  
R.A.F. v Lincolns—King's Park.  
East Lancs. v Borderers—Chatham Road.

#### SUNDAY.

FIRST DIVISION.  
Navy v St. Joseph's—Caroline Hill.  
THIRD DIVISION.  
R.A.S.C. v R.E.—Chatham Road.

Let us hope that, even if Shanghai are about two hundred and sixty on with six wickets to fall, our people show up well to-day.

### LEAVES SOON



## LOSS TO LOCAL FOOTBALL

### Pardoe Being Transferred

### SAILS NOVEMBER

CAPT. FLEETWOOD  
AS WELL

(By "Veritas").

Unless the next trooping season brings a draft of new football players, the Royal Artillery will be hard put to raise a team in the first division of the local football league later this season.

They are definitely losing Pardoe, captain of the team, and Interport centre-half, next month, when he is being transferred to Gibraltar, and they are also likely to be robbed of the services of Hopkins and other first team players.

Pardoe will be sorely missed. A very fine exponent of the art of centre-half play, he has been one of the mainstays of the Artillery for the last two seasons, and gained well earned Interport and other recognitions during that time.

He was at his best in 1932-33, when his highly developed constructive play inspired the Artillery to retain the leadership of the league for three parts of the season. They were eventually beaten for first place by South China and for runners-up by the Borderers.

Pardoe is still playing an excellent brand of football, but is suffering from lack of really adequate support, and a great deal of the value of his fine work is lost because of this.

### CAPT. FLEETWOOD ALSO.

His quiet demeanour on the field and encouraging spirit makes him an ideal captain, and his personality on the soccer arenas of Hongkong will be sadly missed.

Another big football personality to be lost shortly to the Colony is Capt. Fleetwood, who is O.C. of the Royal Artillery football team, and a gentleman, whose sound judgment has been of great assistance to officials of the Hongkong F.A.

Capt. Fleetwood, who, I believe I am right in observing, has not missed attending a single match of the Artillery first team for the past three seasons, is also being transferred to Gibraltar, and will, in a manner of speaking, be taking Pardoe with him.

The R.A. football club will be the poorer by his absence, and footballers generally will deplore his departure.

## Arsenal Favoured For Cup

London. Arsenal, the Football League Champions, are favourites for both the F.A. Cup and the League Championship. A firm of West-End commission agents are offering the following odds on the Cup:

- 10-1 Arsenal
- 14-1 Aston Villa
- 16-1 Huddersfield Town
- 16-1 Manchester City
- 16-1 Sheffield Wednesday
- 20-1 Derby County
- 20-1 Leicester City
- 20-1 Portsmouth
- 20-1 Tottenham Hotspur

It is surprising to see that Manchester City, the Cup holders, are quoted at 16-1 joint third favourite, while Portsmouth who were the other finalists last year are 20-1.

The odds against Arsenal winning the League are quoted at 8-1.

# E. C. FINCHER'S KNOCK FOR K.C.C.

## Eight U.S. Track Stars For Manila

ARRIVE ON  
OCT. 22

Tokyo, Oct. 5.

Eight track and field stars will leave Japan October 12 on the liner General Pershing for Manila, to show their speed and agility to fans in the Philippines.

Wives of two of the stars will accompany the performers. Those making the trip, a portion of a larger delegation which performed in Japan during recent weeks, are:

Ralph Metcalf, Marquette University sprinter.  
Glenn Cunningham, University of Kansas distance star.  
Howard Green, Texas Christian, quarter-mile.  
Charles Hornbostel, University of Indiana half-mile.  
Frank Crowley, New York A. C. distance runner.

Gordon Dunn, Stanford University, shot and discus.  
Wirt Thompson, Philadelphia, pole vault.

John Anderson, shot and discus.  
Mrs. Cunningham and Mrs. Crowley will be with the party.

The General Pershing is scheduled to arrive in Manila on October 22.

Hornbostel plans to continue westward from Manila to Europe. The remainder will return home via the Pacific.

## HOCKEY HANDBOOK

### PRaiseworthy Compilation

### FILLS A VERY REAL NEED

The first official handbook of the Hongkong Hockey Association has now been published, and is an exceptionally praiseworthy piece of work, fulfilling as it does, a very great need.

Its contents are what one might describe as strictly essential, and include the rules of the Hongkong Hockey Association, the rules of the game, descriptions of last season's tournaments with Malaya and Macao, as well as reports on the important local competitions such as the International Tournament.

### PAST PERSONALITIES.

Sketches of some of the most prominent players in the Colony, and brief histories of the clubs constitute attractive features of the booklet while Mr. E. W. Hamilton's foreword will be generally appreciated by hockey players, bringing before them as it does aspects and personalities of the early days of the game in Hongkong.

In every respect the handbook is a splendid compilation, well printed and neatly bound. The compilers are deserving of the thanks of the hockey fraternity of the Colony for such an absorbing collection of facts concerning the game here, and certainly no player can afford to be without this handbook, which is offered for \$1, obtainable from the Hon. Secretary and Treasurer of the Hockey Association and from the publishers, the South China Morning Post, Ltd.

## LAWRENCE SETS NEW MARK FOR 220 YARDS.

### AT V.R.C. MEETING.

After smashing the 100 Yards Free Style record on Wednesday, W. Lawrence established a new mark for the 220 Yards Free Style yesterday afternoon when the Annual Swimming Championships of the Victoria Recreation Club were continued.

Lawrence's time for the event was 2 mins. 27.2/5 secs. as compared with the old record of 2 mins. 30.4/5 secs. created by J. R. Johnston in 1929.

L. Roza Pereira provided the only opposition to Lawrence in the race, but he could not keep up with the hot pace however, and finished nearly ten yards behind.

Lawrence showed he was out to smash the record by starting at a great pace and drew away into a lead, which he increased at every turn.

He was given a splendid ovation (Continued on Page 9).

## FLOGS THE K.K.C.C. ATTACK

### RAMSAY RETAINS HIS SHOTS

### CLUB MAY LOSE LOWE

(By R. Abbit)

The principal local event of the week in cricket was the match between the H.K.C.C., fielding a very depleted team, and the K.C.C. who were without Burnett, Munn and MacKay.

The visitors won the toss and made good use of a rather dead wicket, but they were largely indebted to Teddy Fincher, who was only three short of his century when bowled by a full-toss—or so I am told.

I saw the first sixty of his runs and very nicely they were put together. He started slowly and, with Ramsay, paid great consideration to the bowling of Millbank and Lowe, who started.

### KEPT ON TOO LONG.

But though they sent down some good stuff at times I personally think it was an error to keep them on until over forty had been scored for no wicket. It definitely played Teddy in and he began to be much more enterprising than his wicket.

Ramsay showed that he has lost none of his old strokes.

Zimmerman fell to Duckitt very soon and so did Hung who played right across one which he seemed to be trying to turn to leg. The Club bowling was not very impressive, except for Duckitt—whose figures of 17-2-43-5 are excellent.

### SIXTH WICKET STAND.

Smith and Perry made a good sixth wicket stand and took the score to over two-hundred.

Fincher declared at two hundred and eighteen for seven, and only when Griffiths and Duckitt were together did they ever look like getting them. Smith found some of his old form but the Club had a bad tail, and collapsed before E.F. Fincher—who is not one of the K.C.C. leading bowlers!

Lowe had been called away and so K.C.C. won by sixty runs. I understand Lowe is probably leaving the Colony—at all events temporarily. The Club second will miss him—as he seems to make the ball do a little off the pitch.

### PRESS CRICKET TEAM.

The Hongkong Press will meet the Indian Recreation Club 2nd XI in a friendly cricket match tomorrow, the game to start at 2 p.m. on the Sookunpoo ground. The Press will be represented by the following: F. M. of Arcull (Daily Press) (Capt.), S. A. Gray (Telegraph), E. MacNider (S.C.M. Post), R. Goldman (Daily Press), C. E. Stuart (S.C.M. Post), J. M. Kelleher (S.C.M. Post), C. L. Chan (S.C.M. Post), J. R. Luka (Telegraph), G. W. Giffen (Telegraph), A. R. Barker (Daily Press) and C. E. Wong (S.C.M. Post).

## TRAGEDY OF BOXERS' WIVES

MRS. GAIN'S  
SECRET

### WHY SHE STOPPED PETERSEN FIGHT

"Everyone is asking why I stopped the fight. I will tell you for it takes another woman to understand."

Fair-haired, pale-faced, tense, Mrs. Larry Gains, the German wife of the coloured Canadian boxer, poured out her heart finding relief in telling of that harrowing 13th round of the Gains-Petersen fight at the White City last month when, unable to see her man take more punishment, she insisted on the towel being thrown into the ring.

"Need I say that my husband has been very angry with me? He would have fought until he dropped, but sitting there alone at the ringside, watching blood dripping from a cut over his right eye, and great puffy swellings closing up his left eye, I could stand no more for him."

"Any woman will realise how it feels to be a boxer's wife—to see your man fighting, not knowing what may happen. Mrs. Len Harvey knows, for she comforted me."

### MAKE-UP DISGUISE.

"Larry and I have been married for nine years, and I have seen almost all his fights during that time. For a year or so he usually not let me go, but I would managed to slip in unknown to him. I always wanted to be there, just in case I might be of help to him."

"I felt less worried when Larry fought Carnera in May 1932."

"He was incapacitated from the start by the reopening of the cut over his right eye, a cut which he got in sparring a few days before the fight."

"We patched it up beforehand, covering the scar with my eyebrow pencil."

"It all seems very exciting to the fight-fans to see two men battering at each other, but they never think of the reactions of the boxers' wives."

"I have sat alone at the ringside hearing people shouting all sorts of savage things which have made my blood run cold. Boxing is a cruel game for the women who have to sit and watch their men battering their youth away."

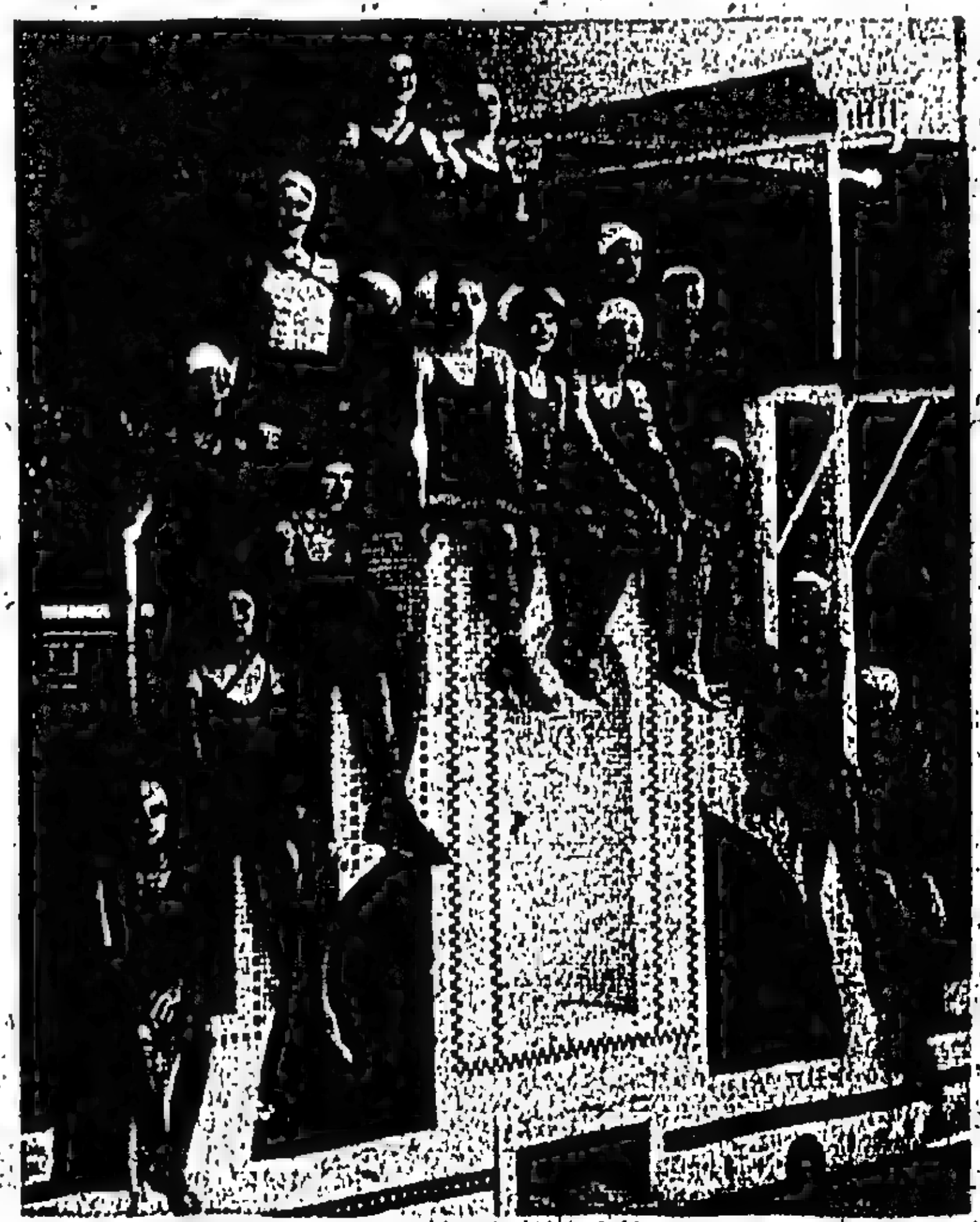
### FRIENDLY HOCKEY

#### Recreio Team For To-day

The following is the Club de Recreio team against the Royal Corps of Signals in a friendly hockey match to-day, on their own ground.—H. Brito; A. A. dos Remedios and J. J. Remedios; M. Oliveira, J. Goncalves and Dr. A. Rodrigues; C. D'Almada, G. Gutierrez, P. Nolasco, P. Rosario, and A. A. R. Botelho.



M. Remond, the French custodian, in a difficult situation during the Worcester v. A. S. F. match at the Casidrome, Shanghai, recently. Remond was out to clear from Curtis, the new Army player, but the latter passed to the other wing. Nicoloff saved the French goal from another attack by clearing well away.



CATHEDRAL SCHOOL SWIMMERS. Some of the senior swimmers who took part in the annual gala held at the Country Club, Shanghai last month by the scholars of the Cathedral School for Girls.



## TRENTBRIDGE'S SURPRISING RECORD RUN

## ESTABLISHES NEW FIVE FURLONG FIGURES

## HOW DIANA BAY WAS BEATEN IN CLASSIC RACE

## VALLEY HOLIDAY MEETING REVIEWED

(By "Captain Foster")

The weather, after all, was kind last Wednesday and the course, although yielding, was quite good; but not one on which fast times could have been expected. I was not prepared to see any records broken and was therefore surprised to hear that Trentbridge had lowered the five furlong record by a fifth of a second winning the Double Tenth Plate.

A small field of four ponies faced the barrier for this race, and it was expected that either Diana Bay or Trentbridge would be returned the winner. When the barrier was released Diana Bay at once took command, closely followed by Trentbridge, and this position was maintained until entering the straight for home. At this point Trentbridge moved up and passed Diana Bay, somewhat easily I thought, to win by four lengths. Sadko came with his accustomed rush but he was not good enough to offer any challenge to Mr. Dunbar's mare, and had to be content with third place.

St. Joan ran a rattling good race to win the Katumba Handicap by three lengths from Empire Day. I thought she was nicely handled by Mr. Proulx throughout the race, and the waiting tactics employed, in view of her heavy impost, was completely justified. In my previous notes I mentioned that Empire Day shewed me in her running in the Cantala Handicap that I could with safety leave her out in my calculations for future events. I now feel that I am wrong in coming to this conclusion, and that one should not discard her when weighing her prospects for future non-winning "B" Class Australian events. In the Cantala Handicap she carried 155 lbs. and the reduction of 15 lbs. in the Katumba Handicap apparently made all the difference to her form.

National Day and King's Parade fought out a pretty finish in the Kwangtung Handicap, the former, well ridden by Mr. Deltz, winning by a neck.

Another good finish was seen between Cavalcade and Classic Hall in the Fukien Handicap, Cavalcade winning by three quarters of a length. Waiting tactics in front were apparently

employed by Mr. Heard on Classic Hall, and he very nearly succeeded in winning the race. It was a quarter mile race as the first mile was done in the slow time of 2-13—a good exercise gallop.

Soldier of Britain won the Hunan Handicap—an anticipated—but his performance was far from convincing. He did not win easily, nor in the style of a class animal.

## LAWRENCE SETS NEW MARK

(Continued from Page 8.)

when it was announced that he had beaten the previous record by 3.2/5 seconds.

Only two entries were received for the 100 Yards Ladies' Championship of the Colony. Mrs. L. Mead won easily from Miss Doris Hunt in 68.3/5 seconds.

The Hongkong University caused a sensation in the Relay Race by beating two strong V.R.C. teams. For this they had L. Oliveira to thank. Swimming No. 1, he out-paced even W. Lawrence, to give his team a lead of two yards. It was a great race, the under graduates winning by a yard.

Full results of yesterday's events follow:  
100 Yards Free Style Handicap (C) Class.—1. A. A. Noronha; 2. C. N. da Silva; 3. E. J. Alvarez.  
100 Yards Ladies' Championship.—1. Mrs. L. Mead; 2. Miss Doris Hunt. Time:—68.3/5 secs.  
220 Yards Free Style Championship of the Colony.—1. W. Lawrence; 2. L. Roza Pereira. Time:—2 mins. 27.2/5 secs. (A record).

100 Yards Free Style Junior Championship.—1. J. A. Guterres; 2. L. A. Soares; 3. A. McGrann.  
50 Yards Free Style Handicap (Boys under 12).—1. E. Roza.  
Relay Race.—1. Hongkong University; 2. V.R.C. "A."

## HONGKONG BATSMEN GO TO PIECES AGAINST SHANGHAI

## They Say—

THAT New Star is not particularly sound, he is at Fanling under-going treatment.

THAT Brilliant Star is still up North.

THAT under the circumstances her prospects for the St. Leger next month are not too bright.

THAT she may not even start in the last of the Classics.

THAT the St. Leger this year will be an open race.

## ICE HOCKEY BOOM

## PLANS FOR 250,000 NEW SKATERS

## EUROPEAN LEAGUE

How ice hockey has gained popularity as a high-speed sport is shown by the fact that the organization of a European league is on the verge of completion.

The initiative was taken by the British Ice Hockey Association, and the ten competing clubs, which will play home and home matches, and do their travelling by air, are: Streatham, Richmond, and two Wembley teams, representing England; the Stade Francaise and Racing Club de France, both with their headquarters in Paris; Bale and Zurich, Switzerland; Berlin and Munich.

A couple of months only will be devoted to the competition, which will be run on a pool system with five clubs in each pool. The top four in each pool will play off for the championship.

## PROMISING BRITONS.

Supporters' clubs are being organised on speedway lines by the English in London nearly every night of the week, and famous Canadian players, such as Lou Bates, the champion all-round athlete of Ottawa, who captained Wembley, and George Shaw, from Stratford, Ontario, who joins Streatham, will be here shortly ready for the start of the season this month.

Many young English players are coming to the fore. Neville Meland, a nephew of the late Lord Oxford and Asquith, is to captain Richmond. An all-English team is to compete in the world championships at Davos in January, and it is hoped to send a representative side to tour Canada and the United States for the first time.

The ice rinks are making preparations for dealing with 250,000 new skaters this winter. Professionals who will be at the disposal of skaters include Paul Kreckow, at Richmond; the Austrian girl, Melitta Brunner, who is instituting slimming classes for women on the ice; and Karl Mejschik the Austrian champion and former world champion.

A tea party to bid farewell to the Hon. Mr. E. D. C. Wolfe, C.M.G., Inspector General of Police, will be given on Monday, next at 5.15 p.m., at the Hongkong Police Reserve (Chinese Coy.) Club.

## FEEBLE DISPLAY IN FACE OF SPIN BOWLING

## T. A. PEARCE AND MADAR STAND OUT ON THEIR OWN

## STOKES HEADING FOR BIG SCORE

Hongkong batting went to pieces against the Shanghai spin attack yesterday when the cricket interport was continued at the Northern port. The Colony were dismissed for 151, chiefly thanks to Pat Madar, who took five cheap wickets. T. A. Pearce and Madar were the only Hongkong batsmen to face the bowling with confidence, and there were several deplorable failures.

The weather was sunny and the wicket was showing signs of wear when E. J. R. Mitchell and the Rev. H. W. Baines resumed Hongkong's innings with seven runs on the board without loss. Mitchell was the first to leave, being bowled by Booth for six with only twelve runs scored. (12-1-6).

Alec Pearce went in first wicket down and by aggressive cricket carried the score to 30 after sixty minutes' play. Baines reached his ten when he had been batting for 75 minutes, but he was brilliantly caught by Pat Madar off Leach without addition to his score. (44-2-10).

Lieut. C. C. Garthwaite joined Pearce and the half century went up in 90 minutes. Eighteen runs later Garthwaite left for four, and Owen Hughes, Hongkong's captain, filled the vacancy. (68-3-4).

Off the first ball that Madar sent down to Owen Hughes the batsman was missed in the slips, but he was clean bowled by the fifth ball delivered by Madar after the batsman had made four. (75-4-4).

A shorter from Madar terminated Pearce's innings which had been aggressive throughout. He scored 39 runs principally by off drives. (74-5-39).

Melbourn who had relieved Owen Hughes had A. H. Madar as his partner. The Hongkong C.C. player went out after one run had been added to the score. He was caught by Kermann off Madar for a "duck." (76-6-0).

Minu scored only one run and was bowled with the score at 81. (81-7-1).

Madar and Ricketts were together at the lunch adjournment, the Indian R. C. player having made seven and the Hongkong C. C. representative eleven. Up to the interval P. Madar had taken four wickets for eleven runs in ten overs, three of which were maidens.

After lunch the century was hoisted when Shanghai conceded two leg byes. The innings had lasted for 176 minutes.

Leach going on with the score at 120, dismissed Ricketts with his first

ball, the batsman being caught by Booth for 21. (120-8-21).

Pereira and Madar made another stand, but at 151 the fast bowler was caught by Leach off Booth for 23. (151-9-23). Dunkley was unable to stay and was sent back without any further addition to the total, the innings closing at 151 scored in 230 minutes.

Instead of enforcing the follow-on Shanghai went in for their second innings but wickets began to fall fast.

## BAINES HURT.

Williams fielded in place of Baines when Hongkong took the field for Shanghai's second innings. Baines is suffering from an injured foot.

Pereira and Garthwaite opened the Hongkong attack to Stokes and Bidwell. Disaster came early for Shanghai when Bidwell was clean bowled by Garthwaite before any runs appeared on the score board.

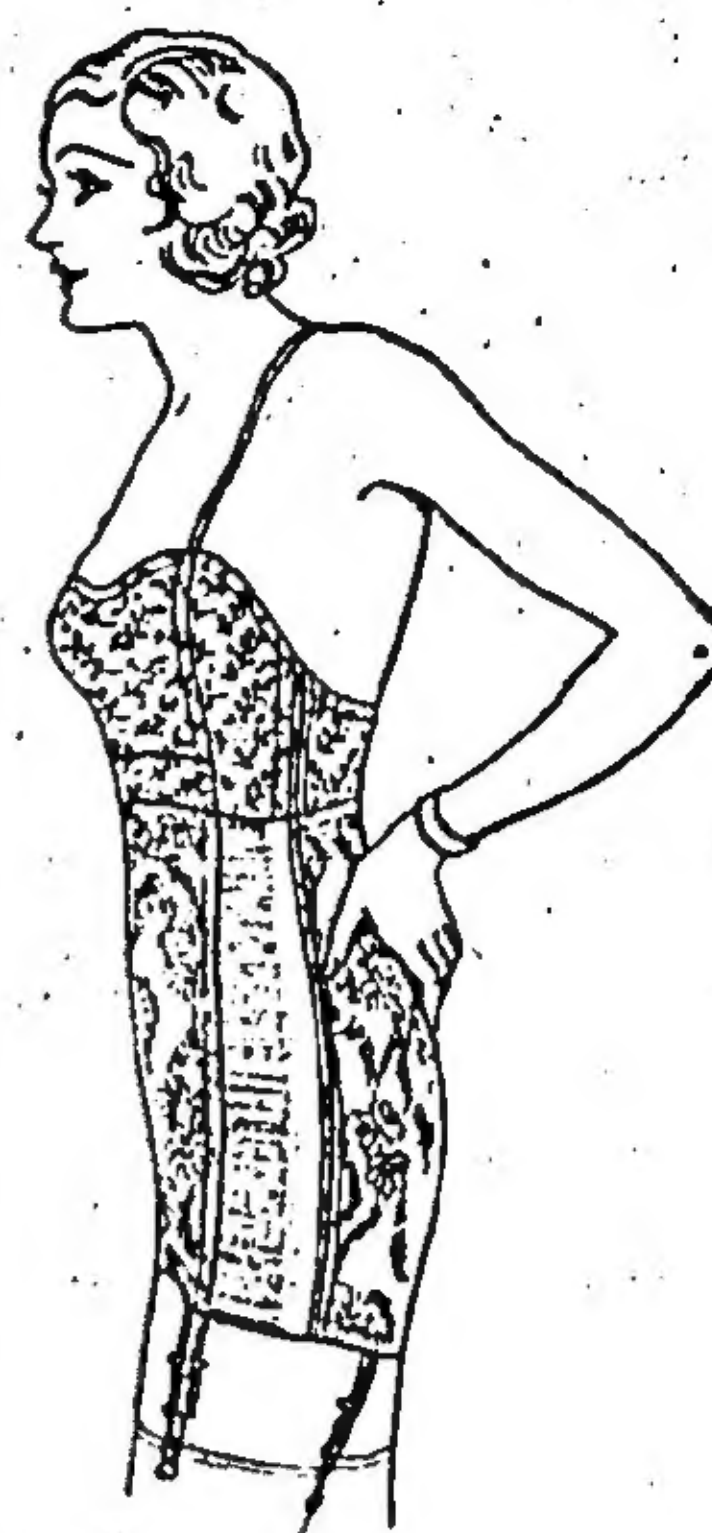
Humphreys joined Stokes but was never comfortable and after scoring eight was caught by Garthwaite off Ricketts. The score was then 32. Stokes was scoring rapidly from shots all round the wicket. None of the bowlers seemed to give him much trouble.

Minu and Ricketts were brought on in place of Garthwaite and Pereira, and the double change was instantly successful. Ricketts lured Kermann out to a ball that broke sharply and Dunkley whipped the ball off before he could regain his crease. Kermann, who created a record second wicket partnership with Stokes in his first innings, had made only 1. Three wickets had now fallen for 37 runs.

Leach, powerful hitter of the Shanghai team fell a victim to Pearce when he had made three. He was caught by Williams.

The fifty was raised in 60 minutes and at 51 Pereira was brought back to the crease. Stokes lifted a fast in-swinging towards Williams, the fielding near the tapes, but the chance was dropped.

Barson who had joined Stokes kept his end up well, letting his forceful partner do most of the scoring. The pair were together when stumps were drawn, Stokes being 44 and Barson 0. Dunkley had allowed four sandries.



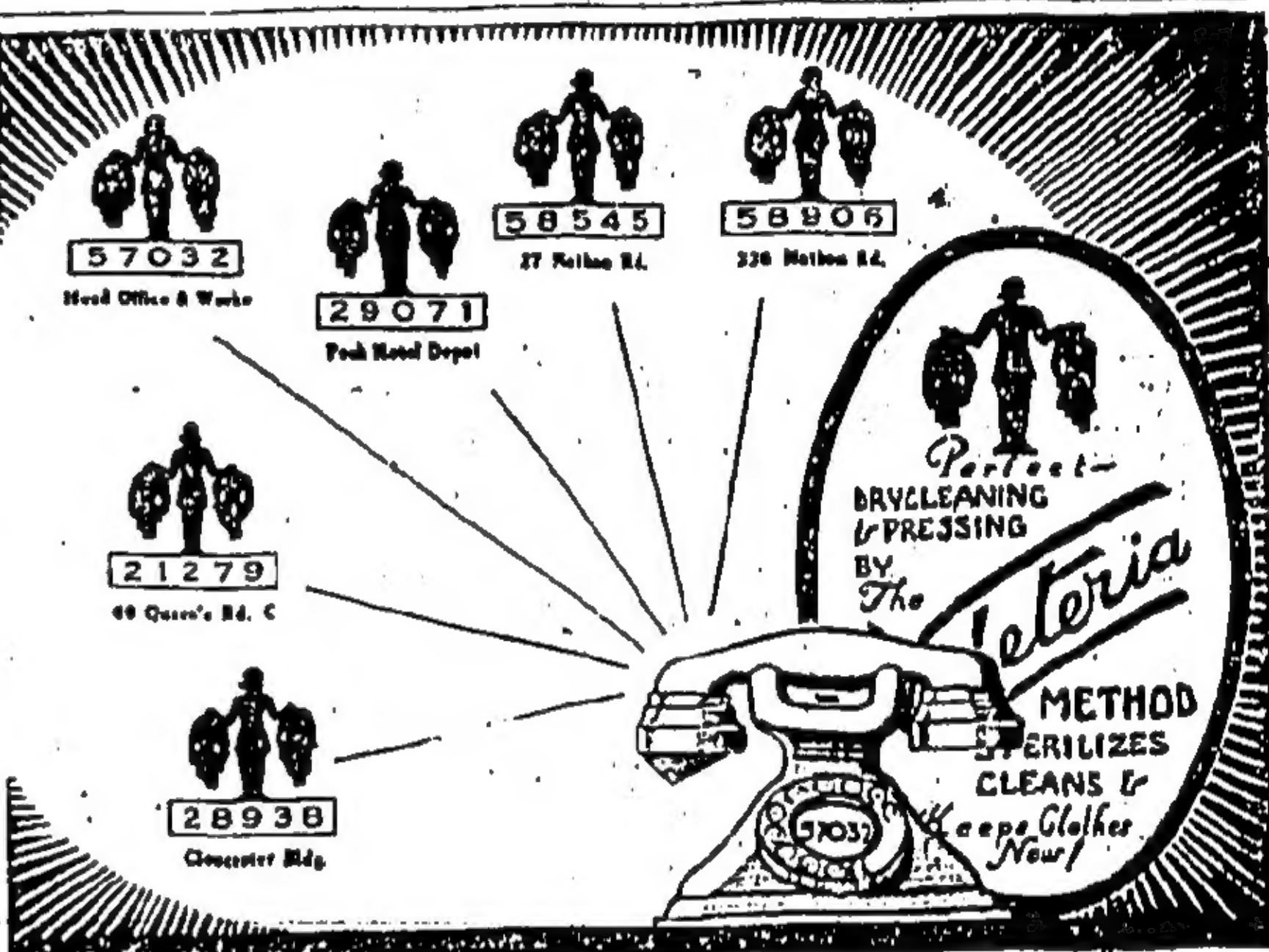
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9.52 W. H. B. Rigg, D. K. Hishop.  
9.56 R. I. Cherrill, R. Young.  
10.00 A. C. Young, G. T. May.  
10.04 J. C. Dunbar, G. W. Tolmie.  
10.08 C. Thwaites, P. S. Grant.  
10.12 I. H. Geare, K. S. Morrison.  
10.16 H. N. Williamson, J. Forbes.  
10.20 C. L. Tatham, J. Angwin.  
10.24 W. G. Robertson, D. L. Prophet.  
10.28 H. A. Browning, W. E. Hunt.  
10.32 H. K. Valentine, G. F. Hole.  
10.36 J. Edkins, D. Ellis.

New Course

10.32 E. L. Groome, D. S. Robb.

**MAMAK HOCKEY**

**St. Andrew's Team For Sunday**

St. Andrew's Club are playing their first Mamak Hockey Tournament match on Sunday at 3.30 p.m. sharp, when they will be opposed to the Royal Corps of Signals. The Saints team is as follows: R. H. Wong; J. T. K. Gilchrist and E. H. P. White; E. MacNider, A. E. P. Guest (Capt.) and A. B. Hamson; R. A. Carroll, N. A. E. Mackay, W. Colledge, E. C. Fincher and R. Baldwin, Reserve.—F. A. Brondbridge.

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**LECTURE AT Y.M.C.A.**

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**NEXT WEDNESDAY**

The European Y.M.C.A. Literary and Debating Society's ambitious winter programme of lectures, debates and fireside discussions starts next Wednesday, when Professor W. Brown of the Hongkong University, one of the most sought-after lecturers in the Colony, will give a talk on "James Watt, Father of the steam engine and hence of the mechanical revolution."

Professor Brown will deliver this lecture in the West Lounge, starting at 9 p.m., and the absorbing subject in such competent hands is certain to attract a large attendance. The meeting is, of course, open to members and their friends, and it is hoped they will give their fullest support, so that the new season shall enjoy a worthy send-off.

This lecture will be followed in early November by the initial debate of the season, and probably the Society could have chosen no more interesting subject than that of present day international sport and its effects on international friendship.

"Bodyline" controversy in cricket, which has raged during the last 12 months throughout the world where the game is played, is a vital point, while other issues to be tackled will be the "existing tendencies to create a somewhat unhappy competitive spirit in the various fields of international sport."

Fireside Discussions will start in November, and already several very controversial subjects have been listed.

**K.O.Y.L.I. POLO TOURNAMENT**

**First Round Games Starting Soon**

The first round of the K.O.Y.L.I. Cup, which has been postponed on several occasions owing to weather conditions, will now take place next Monday, October 15. This is the only non-handicap polo tournament held by the Club, and it is gratifying to see that so fewer than five teams have entered.

The teams are as follows:

24th Regiment—D. P. Yates, Capt. J. L. Jordan, A. J. Stocker and Capt. C. F. Blackden.  
Civilians—H. C. Macnamara, D. L. Newbigging, J. Keswick and J. K. Bousfield.  
Royal Artillery—Capt. P. V. Williams, Major J. S. Drennan, G. B. Portland and N. W. Metcalfe.  
"Nosey Parkers"—Col. F. P. Nosworthy, Taylor, D. R. Llewellyn and Paterson.  
"Wall's Eyes"—A. Wall, Mende, Skye and Allen.

The draw was made last Monday and resulted as follows:

First Round "Nosey Parkers" v. "Wall's Eyes."  
Byes into Second Round: Civilians, 24th Regiment v. Royal Artillery.

The following are the proposed dates of playing the matches:

Monday, October 15.—First Round.  
Wednesday, October 17.—Semifinals.  
Monday, October 22.—Final.

Players and spectators are requested to note that in future polo will begin at 4.15 p.m. instead of 5 p.m.

**AITKENHEAD SHIELD**

**ALTERATIONS IN HONGKONG TEAM**

Two changes have been made in the composition of the Hongkong team to meet Kowloon in the Aitkenhead Shield to-morrow.

Neither N. Drummond playing skip on No. 3 rink, nor C. H. Stewart, on No. 3 on the ninth rink for Hongkong are able to play.

J. Cavanagh comes in for Drummond and F. E. Booker for Stewart.

Players are again reminded that the match starts at 2.30 sharp.

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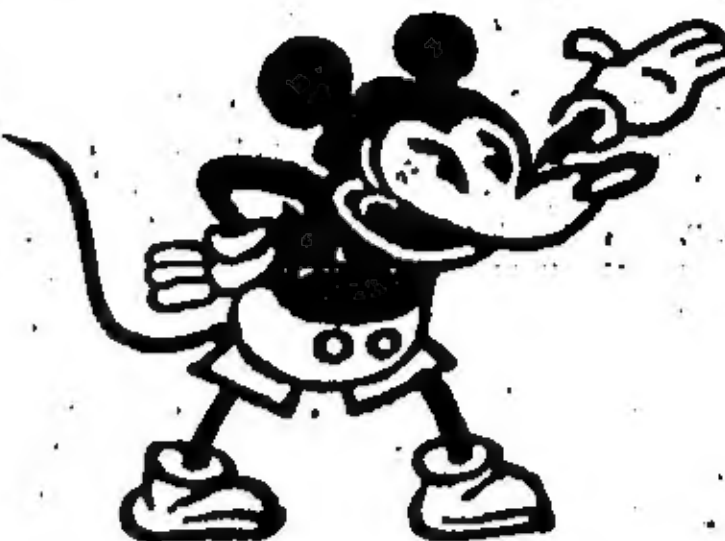
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